

## The WEEK

By A. M. BRAYTON

ADVERSE action on the Tucker bill has led to the organization of the La Crosse County Boy Scout Troop. There has been considerable discussion of the bill in the past, but it was not until recently that it was brought to the attention of the La Crosse County Board of Education. The board has since taken action to support the bill, and the La Crosse County Boy Scout Troop has been organized.

## COUNTRY BOY SCOUT TROOP IS ORGANIZED

First of its Kind in the United States is Formed on Saturday for La Crosse County

BOYS ELECT OFFICERS FOR PATROLS IN EACH TOWNSHIP

Business Men Completing Plans for Boy Scout Fund Drive Tuesday and Wednesday

SATURDAY was a red letter day in the history of La Crosse County. It was the day when the first La Crosse County Boy Scout Troop was organized. The troop was organized by the La Crosse County Board of Education, and it was the first of its kind in the United States. The troop was organized on Saturday, April 7, 1923, and it was the first of its kind in the United States.

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## RIVER ICE GOES OUT SATURDAY

HI SAY, OLD DEAR BABY BUGGY RACE HELD IN ENGLAND

BRIGHTON, England.—By The Associated Press.—Mrs. Lily Groom of Eastbourne, wheeling a perambulator in which nestled her baby, finished first in the 52-mile perambulator race from London, covering the distance in twelve hours and twenty minutes. Mrs. Groom was loudly cheered by crowds of spectators who gathered to see the finish of the race. She was still going at a good pace when she crossed the "White Line," followed by four other women. The race was held on Saturday, April 7, 1923, and it was the first of its kind in the United States.

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## MAIN SHEET STARTS MOVING ABOUT 3 P.M.

River Between Railroad and Wagon Bridges is Clearing; Large Patch Caught on Dam

APRIL 7 LATEST DATE ICE HAS EVER GONE OUT IN CITY

La Crosse Skids and Slides as Sleet Glazes Streets; State in Storm Grip

THE ice is out! Along with a sleet storm that glazed sidewalks and streets and made autos prouille on all the corners, La Crosse was treated on Saturday afternoon to its usual unfailing sign of spring when the winter surface of the Mississippi in front of the city finally crumbled up and started for the gulf.

The main sheet of ice started to move about three o'clock, and the channel was open between the railroad bridge and the wagon bridge by sunset. It is still full of floes, and a big patch is still sticking from a wing-dam on the water-front of Pelibona park to a point down below the wagon bridge. But the draw and second spans of the bridge are in the clear, and the river is free south as far as it is visible. The ice went out below the bridge Thursday afternoon.

Equals Latest Date  
April 7th is the latest date that the ice has ever gone out in the fifty years that records have been kept here. The date has been equalled twice before, in 1876 and in 1888, but it has never been beaten. Of recent years the only April break-up occurred in 1906, on the second, in 1904 on the first, and in 1900 on the fifth. All other years in this century have gone out in March, anywhere from the second to the thirty-first.

Last year the break-up came on March 15th, and in 1921 on March 2, the earliest opening date on record except for 1878, when the river was open February 24.

Weather bureau records show that the average opening date is March 24. Our Week-end Storm Arrives  
But while La Crosse had its sign of spring in the ice going out on the river, that was about the best that could be said for Saturday. Outside of that it was a mess, with a driving, sleet combination of mist and snow and rain falling most of the day and freezing as it fell, until the streets and walks were like a curling rink. Many near accidents occurred, but aside from some slight damages when autos skidded into each other or the curbs there was no serious trouble reported.

Seven-Inch Snowfall in St. Paul  
ST. PAUL, Minn.—More than seven inches of snow fell here Saturday in the worst storm of the season. It was the heaviest fall in April in this section of Minnesota since April 27 and 28, 1907, when 13 inches fell. The storm was continuing Saturday night and fears were expressed that milk shortage in Minnesota cities by Monday may result. Vehicular traffic was reported tied up on country roads and trains were slightly delayed. Freight service was hardest hit.

South Dakota also reported a heavy snowfall, six inches covering the ground at Aberdeen.

Storm Hits Eastern Wisconsin  
OSHKOSH, Wis.—Weather conditions here Saturday broke all records for this time of year. Friday night and Saturday morning there was a mixture of rain, sleet and fine hail that threatened to do damage similar to that caused on February 22 of last year when a heavy sleet storm did heavy damage in this locality. The sleet was not extensive enough to cause much trouble, however, although telephone and telegraph companies reported some wire troubles. Street cars managed to keep going in spite of icy rails androlley wires. Skidding of automobiles was common but no accidents were reported. A year ago today, according to a local gardener, spring onions were sprouting in his garden. While the water in Lake Winnebago has been rising steadily daily, the situation has not yet become such as to cause worry, and the water is being held considerably below the crest of the Neenah and Menasha dams.

Green Bay Gets White Mantle  
GREEN BAY, Wis.—King Winter rudely shattered the hopes of Green Bay spring enthusiasts here when he again put the city and its environs under a three-inch robe of snow. It was the sixth snowstorm since the 11th of March.

Reports from northern Wisconsin, (Continued on page six)

## DUBLIN SHAKEN BY BOMBS EXPLODED ON GRAND CANAL BRIDGE

Two Spans Over at Dundalk Also Blown up; Seek to Wreck Rail Line, Belief

IRREGULARS SURRENDERING DAILY, DECLARES O'HIGGINS

Nine Republicans Are Killed in Running Fight in County Kerry

DUBLIN.—By The Associated Press.—Not more than 2,600 to 2,500 irregulars are resisting the Free State government now, it was stated Saturday by Kevin O'Higgins, minister of home affairs. Rebel prisoners, he said, were coming in at the rate of 200 a week.

Nine Republicans Die in Kerry  
Nine republicans were killed in a running fight with Free State troops at Glencar, County Kerry, Friday, it is announced in an official statement. The troops surrounded a house in which the republicans were meeting, and put them to flight. The government forces suffered no casualties.

Dublin was shaken Saturday afternoon by the explosion of two land mines in a railway car on a bridge at Grand Canal street, the objective probably being the cutting of the Southeastern railway.

Two bridges over the Fane river near Dundalk were blown up almost simultaneously, according to one report. Great Southern railway communication between Dublin and Belfast.

Dillon's Home Burned  
The country residence of Sir John Dillon at Lismullen, County Meath, was burned Saturday by six armed men. The raiders appeared at midnight, told Sir John and his wife and daughter that they were "sorry" but were acting under orders, then helped remove a few articles selected by the family before setting fire to the place.

The republicans are sending circular letters to the regular newspaper advertisers forbidding them to buy space in newspapers supporting the Free State, but the advertisers after considering the matter have decided to ignore the threat. The distillers also have been warned against paying duties to the Free State government, with death threaten as the penalty.

FLINT, MICH., RANKS AS FASTEST GROWING CITY IN COUNTRY

WASHINGTON.—Seventy-eight cities of the country will have a population of 100,000 or more on July 1 this year, according to estimates of the census bureau.

There were 68 in 1920, the 1922 estimates for which were published Friday. Of the ten additional cities, Flint, Mich., made the most rapid growth. Its estimates being 117,000, which ranks it as sixty-first city in population. Erie, Pa., is estimated at 112,571, placing it in sixty-sixth rank. Duluth takes rank as seventh city with 106,289. Elizabeth, N. J., now ranks as 72nd city with 102,947. Estimates for the other cities, which have advanced into the 100,000 class follow:

Flint, N. Y., 73th, 103,487; Lynn, Mass., 74th, 102,632; Tulsa, Okla., 75th, 102,018; Tacoma, Wash., 76th, 101,731; Oklahoma City, 77th, 101,150; and Jacksonville, Fla., 78th, 100,046.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY OF K. K. K. PARADES STREETS OF DALLAS

DALLAS, Texas.—The downtown streets of Dallas were jammed at 8 o'clock Saturday night, traffic was at a standstill and police reserves were stationed at 50 foot intervals while the county criminal courts building members of the "American Women," reported as being an auxiliary of the Ku Klux Klan, in Texas, assembled for parade, the first to be planned by the women since its organization about a year ago.

SECOND ROBBERY IS ASCRIBED TO POSTAL BANDIT

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—Richard Scudlon, arrested here charged with the robbery of \$39,000 in stamps from the postoffice at Olympia, Washington, was identified Saturday as Richard Williams, wanted by Springfield, Mo., in connection with a payroll robbery from the Citizens' bank, there, Detective Fred Bohr of the police department announced.

## Anti-Semitic Wave Breaking Out In Europe

WARSAW.—Squads of infantry and cavalry are patrolling the streets, following the excesses against the Jews occasioned by the execution by soviet authorities of the Russian czar general, Butskavitch. The city was quiet.

The damages inflicted in the disturbances of the past several days are estimated at half a million marks. Prime Minister Sikorski today assured Jewish Deputy Kirschenblum that all rioters would be severely punished and that the government would not tolerate any repetition of the disturbances.

Anti-Jew Sentiment in Germany  
BERLIN.—Anti-semitic disturbances have broken out in several cities of South Germany, according to authentic reports received here. In Magdeburg a mob invaded the Jewish section, scattering bombs about the Jewish homes, smashing windows, destroying gardens and cutting telephone wires. In Gumbinnen bombs were placed in the Jewish cemeteries.

Italy to Combat Outbreaks  
ROME.—The Italian government is taking action to combat the growing wave of anti-semitism. A government committee has announced that it will hold a contest awarding prizes to those submitting the best work against anti-semitism.

HERRIN TRIAL JUDGE 'PASSES BUCK' BACK TO STATE PROSECUTOR

Judge Hartwell Tells Middlekauff he Tries Cases Better in Papers Than in Court

MARION, Ill.—By The Associated Press.—Asserting that Social Assistant Attorney General Middlekauff of Illinois was attempting to "play the piano on somebody for his failure to convict" in the Herrin trials, Circuit Judge D. T. Hartwell, who presided at the trials, Saturday issued a written statement replying to that given out by Mr. Middlekauff Saturday.

Judge Hartwell stated Mr. Middlekauff, "without regard for truth, took advantage of the intense feeling existing outside of Williamson county," adding "I admit his superiority in being able to make use of the newspapers. He tries his cases there better than in the court house."

Judge Hartwell declared that no later than Friday Attorney General E. J. Brundage stated he "thought all of my rulings had been fair" in touching on Mr. Middlekauff's criticism of the judge's rulings, particularly in the examination of witnesses.

"The prosecution were loud in their praise of the court until now," the judge stated.

Mr. Middlekauff's statement, issued following the announcement that the state had dropped all other Herrin cases as the result of failure to obtain convictions in the two already tried, asserted "justice cannot be obtained in Williamson (this) county."

BODIES OF CREW OF RUM RUNNER WASHED UP ON SEA COAST

Remains Found Floating Amid Barrels of Ale Near Massachusetts Shore

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass.—A tragedy of the rum running fleets was disclosed Saturday when the bodies of eight members of the crew of the sunken steamer John Dwight were found floating in Vineyard sound with barrels of bottled ale.

The steamer, which went down within sight of the Cuttyhunk coast guards Friday, was believed to have been damaged by collision with another vessel. Whether the vessel was wrecked to indicate parts of a vessel other than those of the John Dwight, coast guards and the fishermen who found the bodies believed that only one craft went down.

All indications were that the John Dwight carried the contraband cargo. Whether the eight bodies recovered account for all her crew was a question unsolved Saturday night.

## FRENCH SEIZE 80 BILLION IN GERMAN MARKS

Unfinished German Paper Money Confiscated in Printing Plant at Mulheim

SLAIN GERMANS TO BE BURIED TUESDAY; FRENCH KEEP INDOORS

Prussian News Agency Says 10 Mines Occupied; Belgian Miners Off to Ruhr

DUESSELDORF.—By The Associated Press.—The French have confiscated eighty billion marks in unfinished German paper money which they found Friday at the printing plant in Mulheim of the General Anzeiger.

At the same time Belgian troops seized two billion marks in paper money.

Thorburnmaster Schaefer of Essen, who appealed from the sentence of two years' imprisonment and five million marks' fine for resisting French regulations concerning the requisitioning of automobiles was sent to Saarbrücken Saturday with several other prisoners to serve time. On his appeal Schaefer's sentence was increased to three years' imprisonment and a fine of six million marks.

Fritz Drum, president of the League of Nations, was given a five year prison sentence and a five million franc fine for carrying on propaganda activities.

German Funeral Tuesday  
ESSEN.—By The Associated Press.—The funeral of the German workmen killed in the recent clash at the Krupp works has been fixed for Tuesday. It is reported that the Krupp plant and also all shops will be closed. The French general command, being at Essen has ordered the French soldiers to keep out of sight of the mourners. The town of Essen has been fined 500,000 marks for the shooting of a soldier on March 18.

France's Last Chance  
NEW YORK.—Occupation of the Ruhr valley is France's last and only chance to collect just reparations for the damage wrought by Germany during the war, Jules Jusserand, French ambassador to the United States, declared Saturday at a luncheon tendered him by the Federation of Lullaine, Frenchise of the United States and Canada to celebrate the organization's twenty-first birthday, and the ambassador's completion of twenty years' service in Washington.

Ten Mines Occupied  
BERLIN.—By The Associated Press.—Ten mines so far have been occupied by the military forces in the Ruhr, the Prussian official news agency announced Saturday.

According to German officials from Ruhr it is feared that Prussia's largest state mine, Bergmannsgluck, will become flooded, even as the workers have sent an ultimatum to the French occupying forces, that they will abandon even the emergency pumps unless the patrols are immediately withdrawn from the property. The state owned mine at Walthrop is also reported endangered because the troops have cut off all outside connection. The mine already has been flooded twice.

Belgians Off to Ruhr Mines  
BRUSSELS.—The first contingent of 600 Belgian workmen, the advance guard of several thousands who are to be employed in exploitation of the Ruhr industries by the allies, left Brussels for Duisburg Saturday.

REBELS.—More than twenty-seven billion marks belonging to the reichsbank, according to a semi-official statement issued here, have been seized by the French occupation authorities up to the present.

MIAMI GIRL SLAIN; OIL IS POURED ON CLOTHES, IGNITED

MIAMI, Fla.—A girl about 18 years old was burned to death in a street within a few blocks of the center of the city about 11:30 o'clock Saturday night after her clothes had been saturated with oil. Police reported that the victim was murdered by two men whose identity has not been established. Persons living near reported hearing pleas and screams from the girl was dragged from a vacant lot and left in the street in flames. The girl has not been identified.

25 VIOLATORS OF LIQUOR LAWS ARE JAILED BY MORRIS

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Forty-five violators of the prohibition act who had pleaded guilty were given jail terms or fined by Judge Page Morris in federal district court here on Saturday. Twenty-five received sentences ranging from thirty days to four months. Twenty were fined amounts from \$25 to \$200.

## BUTTON AND FLYING PANEL ARE FIGURES IN BOOTLEG DEVICE

Champion Plant Finder of State  
Forces Unravels Intricate  
System in Raid

PIPE RUNS THROUGH WALL.  
COOLING SYSTEM, ICE BOX WALL

Day Coming When Soft Drink  
Bar Must be Demolished

DEVICES of soft drink bar operators for violating the prohibition laws are growing more intricate every day. In the opinion of L. R. Nagler, chief deputy prohibition enforcement commissioner of the state forces and in charge of all state deputies now in the field, and who has been in La Crosse for the past few weeks.

"The day of relying on the speed of the bartender to destroy the liquor on or under the bar before agents seized it, is passed," said Mr. Nagler. "Then the outside bartender, who was the greatest source of trouble to the department throughout the state last year, is giving way to the newer methods of bootlegging."

"One of the most intricate plants ever uncovered in western Wisconsin was reported by agents not far from La Crosse, where the agents seized 15 gallons of alcohol and arrested two men."

"The work bench was dry when the first agent leaped over the bar and a thorough search on the first floor failed to reveal any liquor. In the hunt through the basement, Robert Skorn, who holds the title of 'champion plant finder' in the department, touched a small button in

the wall, which threw back a panel and revealed a faucet. More than 15 gallons of alcohol were drained out. The search for the source revealed a large barrel hidden under the back bar, where empty bottles bearing the label of the best grades of whiskey were on display. The barrel was connected to the faucet by a rubber and aluminum pipe running through the wall, the beer cooling system, the ice box and the ice box wall.

"The time is coming when we will have to demolish a soft drink bar to reach the roof of the supply of illicit liquor," said Mr. Nagler. "It is necessary that we tear out all pipes leading to the liquor supply and in so doing the walls of the stores often are greatly damaged."

## BLACK RIVER HAS NEW COURSE PAST M'GILVERAY BRIDGE

Joe Pickering who has lived in the state of California for high unto fifty-one years, declares that Black river no longer flows under the McGilveray bridge. Joe admits that water runs beneath the famous bridge, but he insists that it is Beaver Creek.

Time was when log jams backed up against the bridge and almost spilled over the floor. This was when McGilveray was quartered at the old ferry and would go out every fifteen minutes when the Black ripped and snorted in the gentle springtime to take the water stage.

Now Black river, according to Old Man Pickering, has cut a new course about the bridge, and not a drop of the stream tickles the edges of the state of California as it sweeps along to the Mississippi.

This will be sad news for Gib McGilveray. When that old-timer reads this as he plays the key in the Postal Telegraph company station out in Oregon he is likely to wire Governor Severson of California to halt all appropriations for the bridge. Deserted by the Black, the structure which survived every assault of lawless and hostile champions of the La Crosse county board, has lived beyond the purpose of its founder.

Along the state of California is not the only place the Black has changed its course. At North Bend the river at one point is a quarter of a mile from where the west bank was thirty years ago. —Galesville Republican.

## CHICKS THAT LAY EARLIER



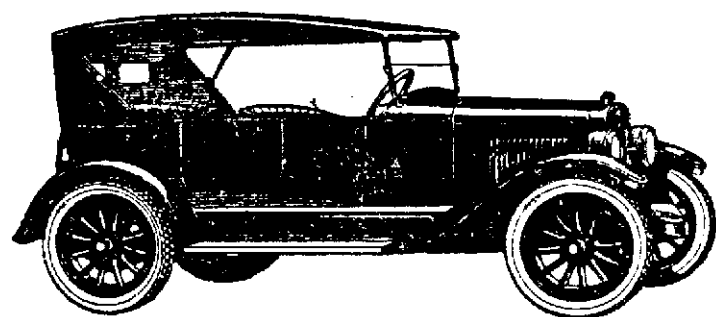
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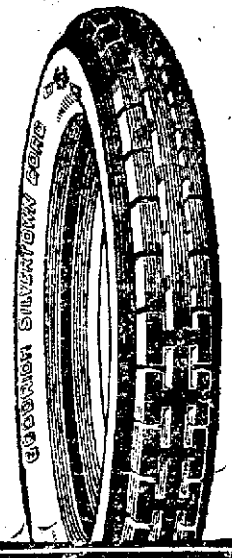
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President Millerand. There is a breach of unity, at any rate, in French politics, with Millerand and Loucheur suggesting a more moderate course and making overtures to England, over the premier's head. Doubtless the refusal of Belgium to swallow French policy whole has something to do with it, and the steadfast refusal of England to countenance or approve plays a part.

The world would not be sorry to see Poincare drop out of authority, probably. He is a fire eater, a militarist, a believer in revenge and spoliation. He and his kind have made most of the wars between nations in the last few centuries, and are still laying their powder trains. Loucheur might be small improvement, but at least for the immediate matter in hand he seems to have a somewhat larger grasp of the realities.



## REMEMBER ME

A Note to the Editor: I am sending you this note to remind you of the fact that I am still a member of the La Crosse Tribune and Leader-Press.

## This is America

FOSTER, communist leader in the United States, is not convicted at the Benton Harbor trial. The jury disagrees and is discharged, after trying vainly to make up its mind whether any crime is involved in predicting the downfall of the government and its replacement by a revolutionary communist regime. It is an excellent example of its kind in the moderate and fair processes of our courts, for all the clamor about free speech and free assembly that the parlor pinks of the country raised during the case it is probable that under those circumstances only under Anglo-Saxon forms and traditions could he have had a chance to come free. Under almost any other court system he would never have been given the benefit of the doubt.

Certainly his communistic brethren in Russia would have made short work of one in a similar situation. Free speech and free assembly, of which our holocaustists make so much, are absolute dead letters in that ideal paradise of theirs. The terror committee seldom bothers even with the form of a trial. He who is heard to object to sovietism is arrested, the "trebka" sits as prosecutor, judge and jury, and shortly thereafter doubtless an executioner. That is all. Under communist ideals of government Foster would have been shot about three days after his arrest last fall, instead of having about six months at liberty on bail in which to prepare his defense, with final release.

We do not care particularly about laws against any sort of political beliefs. Un-American ideas will not thrive in this country, and they wither up all the sooner when the speakers are allowed to bring their propaganda out into the open and let the people see just how ridiculous it really is. But it does give us a distinct nausea to read the blarney of the congressional gentry about capitalistic suppression of free speech in this country, when they know and all the rest of us know that were their precious revolution to take place there would not even be a pretense of free speech in this country. They would be much more ruthless in expressing criticism than any prince provided by the Michigan law against criminal syndicates, or else they would run counter to all the teaching and practice of their Moscovite pattern.

## A Sick Policy

THERE may be some connection between the visit of M. Loucheur to England to discuss a compromise on the Ruhr and the recent meeting at Biarritz between Premier Poincare and Thomson. That conference, which of course ended in "perfect harmony," was held at the time to have consisted mainly of a re-statement of the French and Belgian demands. At any rate, after the meeting it became known that France had agreed to the Belgian demand that the Ruhr would be evacuated immediately upon the first payment of German reparations—a considerable concession for France, which had been stoutly insisting that her troops would not leave the Ruhr until every penny was paid.

Another point of interest in the situation is that M. Carton de Wiart, the Belgian minister of state, has made no secret of the fact that the Brussels government does not expect to collect reparations on anything like the scale laid down in the Versailles treaty. "No Belgium," as said in a recently published article, "doubts that whatever the result of the Ruhr advance on rights and one indemnities must suffer a severe cut." And in the same article he makes the frank confession, "We cannot safely defend England.... for our neutrality depends upon the surrounding countries." It is evident that the earlier solidarity of France and Belgium in the Ruhr occupation is being somewhat strained.

In short, M. Poincare's policy of extreme nationalism is not doing well. As president, Poincare fought the policies of Clemenceau, Millerand and Briard. Apparently he is getting the same sort of opposition from his nominal chief,

## Tom Sims Says:

Bertand Russell, the English philosopher, says we all would be better if we were lazier. Two boys says some people are as good as they can be, then.

Imagine the consternation of a Fort Worth, Texas, woman when she learned she had shot the wrong man!

San Francisco hubby didn't know his wife got a divorce. You just can't keep track of these women.

About a hundred presidential booms have started, but where on earth are the vice presidential booms?

About all the south has to do to get rid of its boll weevils is claim they make fine fish bait.

Scientist says the earth's center is gold. He may be wrong, but you have to dig to get any.

See the pretty spring magazine covers? All painted last December.

We prefer the hottest summer on record because they always are.

A fool and his money are soon parted, but not soon enough.

Hardest thing about being a politician is staying fit enough.

Wonder who it is grips germs don't catch the grippe?

Garden hint: Hops grow about 400 pounds to the acre.

## CHURCH NEWS

Published by the Church News Association

Reports from twenty-two cities east of the Mississippi, including six in the south, indicate that the Lenten season of 1932 saw larger numbers attending churches of all kinds than were ever recorded before. The figures show not only attendance on Sundays, but a remarkable growth of noon hour services, not a new thing in churches, but in many cities in theatres and halls in business districts. Religious people, that had not heretofore observed Lent, did so this year. In most cities, during Holy Week, the last seven days of Lent, vast numbers were made to gain admission to the noon hour meetings. Crowds in many instances, packed churches, meeting at one o'clock, were reported. In some cities, where it is not a legal holiday, business and professional men remained away from their work, engaged in some form of welfare or religious work.

Reports from principal religious bodies indicate a marked increase of the interest of the international members of churches, largely sitting in Rome, both to the general assembly, for a definite date, and to the various national assemblies. Amongst full, with a number of leaders in America and the church of England and the church of Ireland, the latter is particularly expected by the Pope. The Pope's interest in the church of Ireland is particularly marked, as he has been made the present Pope, but there is no reason to suppose that the Pope will take any interest in the church of Ireland. The church of Ireland has been a member of the church of Rome since the time of the Reformation. The church of Ireland has been a member of the church of Rome since the time of the Reformation. The church of Ireland has been a member of the church of Rome since the time of the Reformation.

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## THE RUHR SITUATION CLEARING UP

BY FRANK H. SIMONDS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—While the theses have to be furnished by these allies, their votes are almost certain to fall with the French. France is in a position that she held at Geneva, having Belgium, Poland and Czechoslovakia with her. The difference would be that she might also have Italy.

At the neighbors of Germany, who have good reasons for fearing a German effort to regain territories lost in 1918, must see in the French aim the single sure guarantee of their own integrity and must in the nature of the thing, in French security their own safety. Certainly all of them would prefer to see Anglo-French friendship to Anglo-French discussions, but by the last analysis, they would be bound to stand with France and the French would be bound to stand with them. The French would be bound to stand with them. The French would be bound to stand with them.

Now, when the whole problem is debated anew, the old alternative must come face to face. French security, from the French point of view, is obtainable in two ways. First by the creation of one or more buffer states along the Rhine, states which would be independent allies of Germany and of France, and secondly, and only if the first alternative failed, by the creation of French garrisons at the Rhine bridgehead. Second, some form of contract signed by Great Britain, and Italy, nations in case of German offensive operations.

No guarantee which the Germans could give would satisfy the French, for reasons which need no emphasis, only a fool would believe German promises after all that has happened in the past nine years. But if a British guarantee were given and given in unqualified and unmistakable terms, it is still possible that the French people would be prepared to abandon the alternative, which is the neutralization of the left bank of the Rhine. It is not, perhaps certain, but it is by no means incredible.

But it is not less manifest that a settlement now will have to contain new and satisfactory provisions for French security, even before it furnishes a basis for the liquidation of reparations. And it is undeniable that there is no conceivable arrangement between France and Germany which would be accepted by either as tolerable, let alone acceptable. If the question of security is left to the French alone to determine, that is to France, without any pledge of all from any other nation, is left to seek security at German expense, a bad settlement will result.

The settlement will be bad because there is no way that French security can be insured save by some form of alienation of the Rhineland. The French themselves, the great mass of Frenchmen, are only opposed to it in so far as it is a large population of protecting Germany, to repeat the German experience in Alsace-Lorraine, one may dismiss as one of the pecking away proposed to advance the French frontier to the left bank of the Rhine.

On the other hand, it is plain that no settlement satisfactory to France can be thought of which does not in some way centralize the Rhine. And, now that it is in such fashion that it can be used again as the French line of defense, the new German line, how can any neutralization scheme be worked out which does not involve Germany's sovereignty? The French are not prepared to accept a neutralization of the Rhine, and the French are not prepared to accept a neutralization of the Rhine, and the French are not prepared to accept a neutralization of the Rhine.

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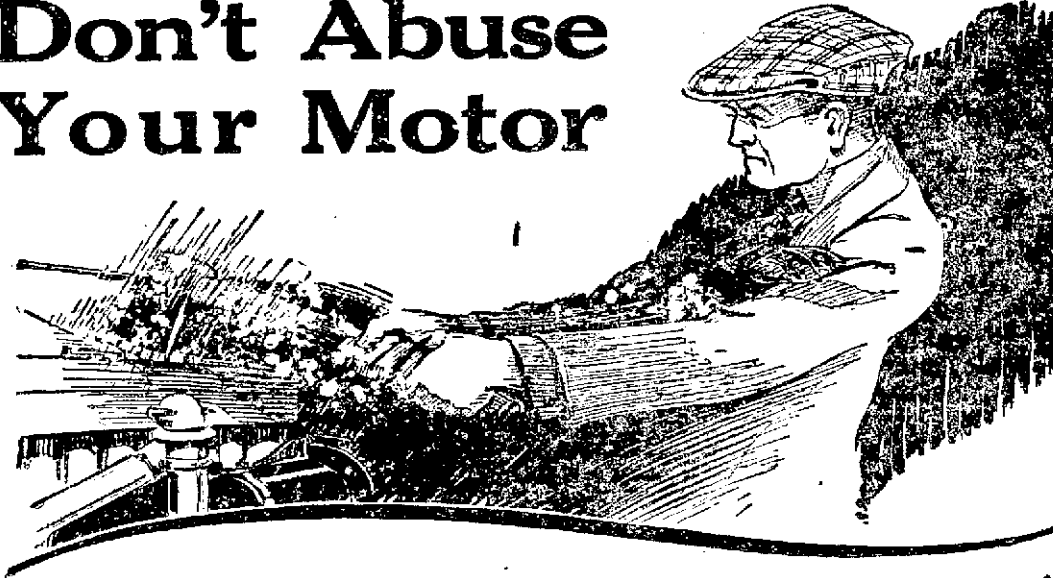
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who claims Hibbing, Minn., his home, intended to open a bakery here. Hanson was arrested on a charge of cashing son is alleged to have won the worthless checks. Stating that he had been of several business men, Al

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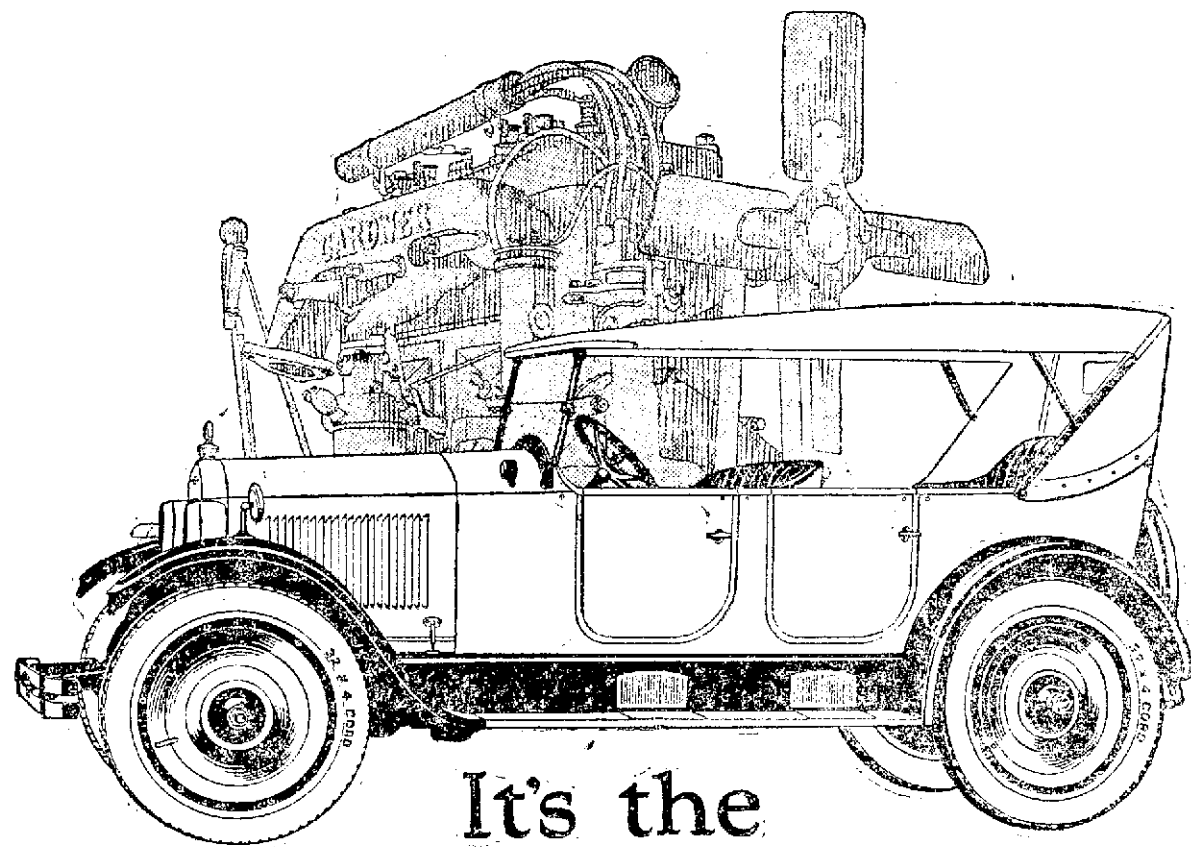
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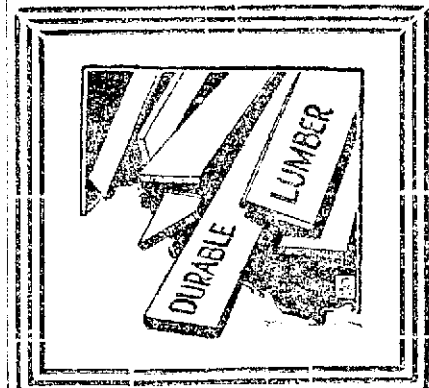
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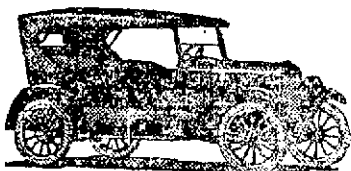
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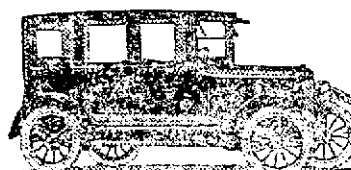


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# HOME MAKERS PLAN COUNTY MEETING SOON

City and Rural Communities to  
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The various home-makers clubs of La Crosse county were represented by the chairman and other members at the annual meeting of the county home-makers association at the Agricultural School at Onawa, Minn., April 4. The meeting was presided over by Miss Gladys Jacobson, president of the La Crosse city home-makers club. The meeting was an all-day affair, with interesting instruction by Miss Jacobson.

Representatives were made for a county-wide gathering of women, both city and rural, to be held at the Agricultural School at Onawa, Minn., April 8. This will be the big gathering of the home-makers of the county for the year.

The section on home-making was held on Wednesday, with suggestions on the subject of home-making. The most interesting information was given by the speaker, Miss Jacobson, who gave a talk on the subject of home-making.

## Local News

**Dance.** A well-attended dance was given at the La Crosse Y. W. C. A. hall, Tuesday evening, April 7. The dance was given for the benefit of the La Crosse Y. W. C. A. fund. The dance was a success, and the fund was increased by the amount of the dance.

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# Society

## ADVISORS OF GIRL RESERVES CLUB GUESTS AT TEA

ON SATURDAY afternoon tea was given at the home of Mrs. Lilla L. Finch, 135 South Fourth street, by the Girls' Work Committee of the Young Women's Christian Association to the advisors of the Girl Reserves club. The reception committee included Mrs. Lilla L. Finch, president of the Y. W. C. A., Miss Reinhard, Girls' Work secretary, and Mrs. Finch, chairman of the Girls' Work committee.

Mrs. Albert R. Nelson and Mrs. Louis H. Martin presided at the table and poured and were assisted by Misses Thomas M. Reynolds, A. L. McKee, Alfred J. Capelin and J. R. Brink. About forty guests were entertained during the receiving hours.

**Club Meeting.** Thursday evening thirteen of the younger members of the La Crosse Business Women's club met at the parlors of the Y. W. C. A. for supper and a social evening. The group organized at its last meeting and elected as president Miss Emma Olson and secretary Miss Margaret Thorne. The members plan meetings twice a month. Following supper Mrs. W. M. Lusk read Sheridan's "School for Scandal" in an entertaining manner and gave an interesting comparison of Sheridan's and Shakespeare's comedies. A social time closed the evening.

**Post-Nuptial Affairs.** Mrs. Harry Leifhold was hostess on Thursday at a post-nuptial dinner at her home, 1520 Perry street, in compliment to Mrs. Barney A. Stangor, a recent bride, who was before her marriage Miss Anne Blatter. There were laid for ten at a prettily appointed table, which was featured by maraschino and daffodils. A course bouquet of sweet peas marked the place of the honor guest. The other guests were the Misses Mollie Schuler, Edna Schroeder, Claire Maier, Josephine Strupp, Esther Kozler, Dorothy Blatter, Colin Roth and Mrs. Clarence Schager.

**At the Tea Rooms.** Mrs. I. H. KIRCHER entertained Sunday at a pretty bridge luncheon at the Tea Rooms. Twenty-eight guests were seated at tables attractively adorned with pink roses and maraschino. Following the luncheon seven tables of bridge were played. The afternoon was of musical enjoyment.

**Three Tables of Bridge.** Wednesday at the Tea Rooms when Mrs. G. Campbell entertained a dozen guests. The favors for high scores were awarded to Mrs. M. R. Birnbaum, Mrs. C. W. Schaner and Mrs. Carl Rudolph.

**Birthday Surprise.** AT THE HOME of the latter, 1025 Zeller street, Mrs. Gay Atkinson and Mrs. William Bunnert entertained at a most enjoyable surprise party on Thursday in honor of the seventy-sixth birthday anniversary of their mother, Mrs. Simon. The guest of honor was showered with flowers and gifts with sincere congratulations and many good wishes for returns of the day. The guests included 27 relatives and near friends. A delicious supper was served.

**Bridge Party.** MISS MARY H. WHITE, 1414 Madison street, entertained at bridge on Thursday afternoon. The favors for high scores were won by Mrs. Fred Schepke and Miss Irene Paupert.

**On the Stork Special.** A DAUGHTER, Audrey Louise, was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brown Monday, March 20th, at St. Ann's Hospital.

ROY AND HAROLD Taylor of Aurora, Minn., spent Friday and Saturday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Taylor. The young men, the latter coach of the Aurora basketball team, were returning from the national meeting at Chicago. They were accompanied by Paul Bunkeloh, center of the Aurora team.

**Brev. Haniff.** ON THURSDAY, Mr. Cassimir Brey and Miss Marie Haniff, daughter of Mrs. Thessa Haniff, 525 Liberty street, were united in marriage at St. John's Catholic church. Rev. H. Leuter performed the ceremony. The couple was attended by Mrs. Walter John and Mr. Joseph Bohlshorner. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's mother, to which only near relatives and friends were invited. Mr. and Mrs. Brey will reside at 1333 Adams street.

much merrier. A two course luncheon was served from a prettily adorned table, the color scheme being carried out in blue and white. There were laid for twelve. The place of the bride-elect being designated by a blue bow. The favors were miniature caps. The guests were the Misses Helen Simon, Julia Outsell, Gladys Mallory, Anne Stahl, Clara Stark, Andy Shumway, Elizabeth Greenher, Theresa Severson, Blanche Flynn, Lillian Cady and Helen Farrelly.

**MRS. DORA COHEN** left Saturday for Milwaukee where she will visit for several weeks her daughter, and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Williams, and her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. Marshall Cohen.

**MRS. SARAH LUTHER**, 624 Hagar street, entertained the ladies of the McKinley post of the Women's Relief Corp at an afternoon coffee Wednesday at which time arrangements were made for the coming bazaar.

**LITTLE MARION Dwyer** gave a party Saturday. It being her 5th birthday. Those invited were Kathleen Mangner, Isabel Snyder, Dorothy Dehnung, Geraldine Langner, Olive Smith, Clara Schumacher and Marion Dwyer. A birthday cake with candles was served. Favors were given the guests and games made up a pleasant time.

**THE WOMAN'S Guild of Christ Episcopal church** meets Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Seymour L. Meister, 128 Seventeenth place.

**MR. HARRY MAGILL** of Chicago will arrive in the city Friday at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Seymour L. Meister, 128 Seventeenth place.

**THE TARKA** of the La Crosse Memorial church will be entertained by Miss Marie Gabel and Miss Emma Schlabach at the church parlors Tuesday evening.

**THE LAST** of the series of card parties given by the Sons of V. C. E. will be held Monday evening at the home of the court house. The winners of the grand prize will be announced at this time.

**THE WEBSTER** School Home Makers' club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Seymour L. Meister, 128 Seventeenth place.

**THE AMERICAN Legion Auxiliary** will hold a meeting at Yeomen hall Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. This is an important meeting and all members are urged to be present.

# JOINT RECITAL ARRANGED BY LOCAL DANCER

Miss Leonora Thompson and  
Group of Dancers to give Program With Noted Pianist

Dances of the Orient, of Elysian fields, and a variety of other diverting selections are to be offered at the joint recital of Miss Leonora Thompson and Mrs. Louise Snodgrass, which has been set for April 28, at the La Crosse theatre. Mrs. Snodgrass is a pianist of repute, and



A composer whose work is widely known. She will give the second half of the program.

Miss Thompson, who upon former occasions has delighted La Crosse audiences with her dancing, will be assisted in her part of the program by a group of normal school students. Modern staging, with simple, drapery and rich lighting will furnish backgrounds to enhance the beauty of the dances. The Misses Leonora Johnson, Hazel Orwell, Emily Gunter, Mary Bosher and Margaret Gantenheim will assist, with Chester Wangren, Neal Ellis, Arthur Borgstrom, Thomas Murphy and Talbert Jessup.

**THEY SAY...**

That Dora Hirschheimer is coming home soon, after a delightful trip to the West Indies. Just now she is visiting, on her way, relatives in Napoleon, Ohio. For the last two years she has been teaching in New York, in the Scoville school and in Hamilton Grange school, day school for girls.

Ellen Schweizer is singing with the Brahms quartette in New York, which gives frequent programs. These sometimes reach La Crosse by radio, and another program in which Miss Schweizer sings with the quartette is expected soon by radio fans. Miss Schweizer also has the direction of a choir in which she sings in Madison, New Jersey, and is studying voice in New York with Percy Rogers Stevens.

Adeline Briggs, who will be remembered in La Crosse as a teacher in the high school a year or two ago, and a coach of some of the school plays, is traveling abroad with Miss Margaret H'Doubler, the originator of H'Doubler dancing who is taking a vacation year for study, from her teaching at the University of Wisconsin.

Helen Scofield is expected home from her trip abroad within the next few weeks. She has been traveling with Mrs. Mina Van Winkle, the founder and director of the Woman's department of the Washington, D. C. police service. It is rumored that they have been entertained by several celebrities on the other side, among them, Lord and Lady Astor.

**ALL OR NONE**

In almost every case either a collar is very large or is entirely omitted from the neck. The wide horline, growing wider as the summer advances, has made no dent in the popularity of the perfectly plain Jenny neckline.

# THINGS MUSICAL

By H. MARGARET JOSTEN

The months of April and May will be marked with an unusual number of musical events this year. The advent of Spring Music two glee clubs from Lawrence college and Marquette college should provide two very entertaining evenings this week. On April 28 Miss Thompson, dancer, and Mrs. Snodgrass, pianist, will give a joint recital, Saturday, May 5, the Glee clubs and chorals of the High school will appear at the La Crosse theatre in a program of grand opera music.

The 10th of May will witness the production of the opera Martha by the students of the Normal school. Schumann Heink is scheduled to sing here on the 14th. Besides these events the Normanna Sangerker will have a concert with the Minneapolis and Duluth singing organizations toward the close of the month and on dates to be determined by the weather an out of door presentation of the Benoit cantata, Into the World, and a dramatization of charming songs arranged in a graphic called Awakening of Spring will be given by the children of the graded schools.

A program of worth and charm will be given Monday night by the Lawrence College Glee club singing at the Club Here.

First Methodist church, opening with Grieg's Land-Sighting, followed by La. How a Rose Ever Blooming of Priorius and the Mosaic by Gregorio A. Legi, sung by the chorus, and concluding with Handel's Hallelujah. Amen. It holds much to attract any music lover. It contains the zest of life and the humor one wants to enjoy when one hears a college glee club and the requisite dash of the sentimental. There are for example Song of the "Mush Out," W. Rhyss Herbert, Old Man Noah and This is the Moon of Roses by Victor Harris, to provide the above named ingredients.

Several soloists give other variety to the program of whom perhaps the most interesting is Winifred Alexander, the blind tenor, who will sing two numbers, one of them the Blind Pilgrimage.

The Music Study club was entertained at tea on Friday afternoon by its president, Mrs. Margaret Kelly, who is at present attending Marquette university, will sing The Americans Come, Little Man and Duna.

The program is a whole is lively and entertaining. Soloists by voice, violin, piano, trombone and saxophone interpose the glee club numbers. Many of the compositions, whether given by the chorus or as solos are found far to the average patron, a fact which should add greatly to the popularity of this program.

The spring festival to be held on by the children of the public schools in May is progressing rapidly. Mrs. Ward, who told the writer during the past week that the pleasure evidenced by the children in the songs from which this series of musical events is to be composed, is one of her greatest joys, the other being the enthusiastic cooperation of the teachers who are training them. In one school a little girl has been ill with typhoid fever and her classmates have been sending her daily letters. Recently the young stars wrote her saying: "Mrs. Ward, play is teaching us the most beautiful song in the world. We hope you can be back soon to sing it."

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# TRIMMED IN LEATHER



The three-piece costume is going to gather laughs this spring than it did in the winter. Nearly every costume has to have its matching cape or jacket to be really correct. This one of bold wool is trimmed with an applique design in black leather. The collar and sleeves bear the imprint of Paris.

oral public and an educational experience for the participants.

To many La Crosse people who attend the concert to be given by the Marquette Glee club on Wednesday evening of this week, the most interesting number of the program will be the third, Mr. James Kelly, popular young singer of La Crosse, who is at present attending Marquette university, will sing The Americans Come, Little Man and Duna.

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# ATLANTIC CITY BROUGHT HERE FOR SATURDAY

Episcopal Choir Guild to Entertain Public on "Board Walk"

April 14, From Ten to Ten

An "Atlantic City Board Walk" is being laid out in the Guild rooms of Christ Episcopal church this week. Next Saturday, April 14, from "ten to ten" o'clock the Choir Guild of the church will give the general public of La Crosse an opportunity to spend an entire day on the "Atlantic City Board Walk."

Fathers and mothers may take the little tots to play in the sand on the beach. Little sister may have salt water taffy and balloons. Big brother has not been forgotten in the plans for a good time. He will be able to take his best girl to the "Beach Inn" for a cup of tea, and dance to the music of the Roots' Novelty orchestra. Grandmother, when tired of walking on the beach may ride in a comfortable chair to see the sights.

Everybody will want to visit Old King Tut's tomb. There they may have their fortunes told, and get their "pictures took" to show folks that they have spent the day in Atlantic City. Many other clever novelties have been arranged for the pleasure of every age. An Italian flower garden, Mother Hubbard and her cupboard and a real Mutt and Jeff movie are planned.

Luncheon will be served at noon and a share dinner of baked ham will be served at 6:00 p. m.

**HEMELINES**

The nightgown used to be simply hemmed with a hand-run seam or even hemstitched, but today it is scalloped, embroidered or trimmed with rows of file Irish or Val lace. It is quite as ornate as the lingerie frock.

The bustle effect is not always achieved by the butterfly bow. Sometimes several rows of faile or moire ribbon are arranged in ruffles below the waist in the back to give the impression of width.

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# RUGS

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of Columbia University

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Three or four crisp bacon may be served with it.

# NOTICE TO AUTO OWNERS

At the April 10th dinner meeting of the Auto club the proposed auto legislation will be discussed and the club's recommendations will be prepared for submission to the legislative committee. All auto owners are requested to be present whether members or not. Make reservations through Secretary Seymour D. Meisner. All auto owners in this section of the county are invited.

Secretary, Seymour D. Meisner, President.

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Applications for enrollment blanks should be sent to Wheeler P. Flood, postmaster, for Wisconsin, 315 North Broadway, Milwaukee.

The course will be given by the U. S. Army, and will include instruction in military drill, marksmanship, first aid, and other necessities. The course is open to all citizens, and is free of charge.

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**BARRON ROAD RECORDS**  
**WIN EXPERT'S PRAISE**  
BARRON, Wis.—C. M. Chapman, accountant in the office of the Wisconsin highway commission, stated that he established a record in Barron county when it took but four days to start a new set of books and inaugurate an entirely new system, due to the excellent shape the books were in.

He found all the records and summaries so complete that it was not found, platoon and company drills, difficult to transfer them to the new

books. Mr. Chapman says that is the first time that he has ever arranged the highway books of a county without having to call upon Madison for information which should be in the county commissioner's office. Edward Gleason is county highway commissioner and Miss Rena Babcock his assistant.

**ICE CREAM FACTORY COMPLETE**  
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**OSHKOSH WOMAN HURT IN  
FRICTION FROM EXPLOSION**

OSHKOSH, Wis.—Mrs. Clifford McDonald was not hurt when a pan of gasoline exploded at her home

Thursday afternoon, but in her fright she tripped from a second story window, receiving serious injuries in the fall. The fire department extinguished the fire which followed the blast, with slight damage.

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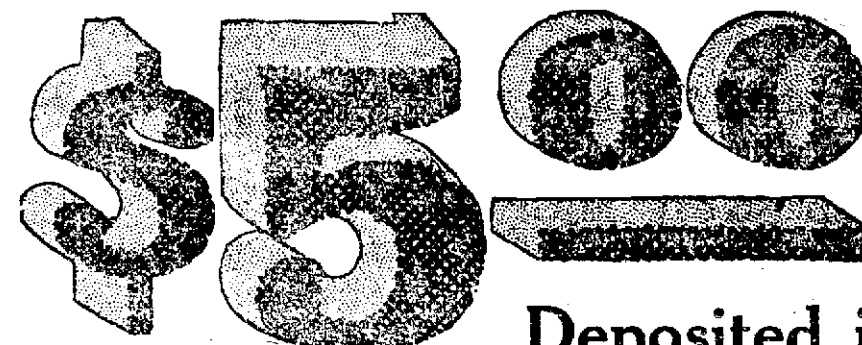
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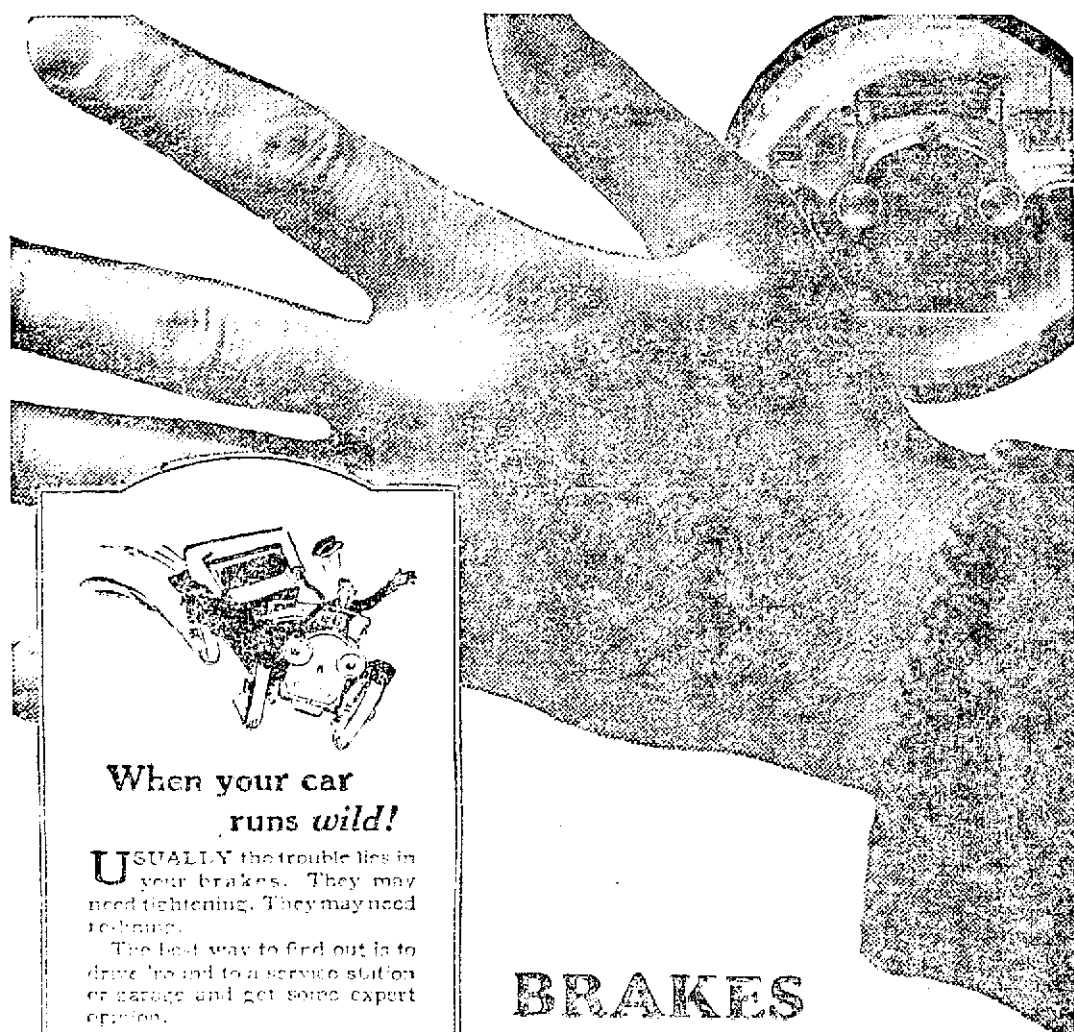
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## MISS MARY WEBB, VIROQUA, HOSTESS AT EASTER PARTY

Bridge Club and Other Friends  
Entertained Friday; Social  
Activities of the City

VIROQUA, Wis.—Miss Mary Webb was hostess at a charming Easter party on Friday evening when she entertained the La Crosse Bridge Club and other friends. The party was also in recognition of Mrs. C. A. Parker whose birthday falls on April Fools Day. There were three tables of bridge. At the beginning of the game each guest was presented with a packet which looked very much like a deck of cards. Upon opening them, they proved to be April fool prize boxes, containing tiny candy chips and a prize. At the conclusion of four hands of bridge, a large tray containing gifts and a birthday cake, with blazing candles were placed before the guests of honor. The presents, tastefully arranged with tissue paper and ribbon when unwrapped proved to be April fool gifts and caused much merriment and bits of verse and complimentary speeches which accompanied them were read by Mrs. Parker. Then a handsome program, printed in full, was presented. The lower guest by the hostess which was a birthday gift from the club. At the luncheon hour the guests were presented with attractive favors, each containing an April Fools Cap, bit of verse and a prize. The cups were doled during the luncheon. The Easter chicks were also attractive favors. Assisting in the serving of the guests was Miss Louise McIntosh, who was home for the Easter vacation from a Milwaukee kindergarten school. The favors for high scores were awarded to the Mesdames C. A. Parker, Chester Mitchell, and Otto G. Brown.

On Tuesday evening Mrs. A. R. Smith entertained two tables of "Luncheon" at her home. The favor for high score was awarded to Mrs. C. A. Parker.

The Rebekahs enjoyed a social hour and luncheon on Monday evening, to honor Mrs. Paul E. Foster, who was initiated into the order as a new member. The hosts and hostesses for the evening included the Mesdames and Messrs. George E. Smith, William Smith, Fred Wheeler, Thomas Foster, Pearl Ray, Mrs. Emma Appelman and Mr. Ed and Margaret Foster. Luncheon followed the social hour.

Mrs. M. J. Kelly was hostess to a party of friends at "Lodge" on Thursday evening.

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Easter services were held in the city. At the congregational church the Rev. Templeton worshipped in a lovely and happy manner. Evans gave the Easter sermon. The choir, under direction of Mrs. W. E. Lundquist sang two Easter anthems. "Hail the Lord's Birthday" and "Now is Christ's Birth" and Mrs. E. M. Nye, soprano soloist sang, "In the afternoon at three o'clock." The congregation rendered special music and in the evening an Easter song program. "Love Triumphant" was given by the choir. At the Christian church the bible classes gave an Easter program. Both Lutheran churches observed the day with special Easter services and music.

On Thursday evening the Christian Reformed of the congregational church enjoyed a supper given by the members of the church members. The members of the Reformed were all seated at one long table which was prettily decorated with white flowers.

The congregational Aid society was entertained on Thursday afternoon in the church parlors by the Mesdames W. E. Lundquist and Mrs. J. E. Thibault. The program was given by the choir. The members of the Reformed were all seated at one long table which was prettily decorated with white flowers.

Mrs. Mary E. Rusk arrived Wednesday from her home in New York. She will stay at the W. D. Olson home. From here Mrs. Rusk will go to New York from which she will sail for Europe and will spend a year there.

Mrs. and Mrs. L. C. Rusk had as their guest during the past week their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Murray, and son Jackie of La Crosse.

Mrs. and Mrs. Fred Kellert spent the past week with relatives at Viola, Wis.

Assessors A. R. Smith was home from Madison during the week and reported on the work of the assessors. He was accompanied by Attorney and Mrs. Harold D. Foster upon his return.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Smith left Monday for Milwaukee where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Graham and family have moved from this city to La Crosse where they will take up their residence.

Victor and Clinton Buckles will leave within a few days for Milwaukee where they have employment.

Mrs. John Chase is home from Oberlin where she attended a piano and violin recital given by her daughter, Elizabeth Chase, a student at Oberlin college.

Several camps have started operations already. Joe Fritz, Joe Haas and William Austin have begun "brewing" sirup at their camps near here.

The machinery was set up in a barn equipped with plumbing fixtures and a water tank to run the business on a wholesale scale.

The plant had not been set in operation.

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## LAWRENCE COLLEGE GLEE CLUB GIVES CONCERT MONDAY

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The following is the program as it will be rendered Monday evening:

(a) Land-Sighting ..... Edward Grier  
(b) Lo, How a Rose Tree Blooming ..... Michael Praetorius  
(c) Allegretto ..... Gregorio Allegri  
(d) Grand Cs to Do With You ..... Johann Bach  
Violin—Meditation ..... Fables Massenet  
Mr. Sisson

(a) Duna ..... Josephine McGill  
(b) The Blind Ploughman ..... Robert Clarke  
Mr. Alexander  
(a) Song of the Volga Boatman ..... Russian Folk Song  
(b) Lullaby ..... Johannes Brahms  
(c) Song of the "Mush On" ..... W. Rhye-Herbert  
(d) The Poor Little Girl ..... Oskar Merikanto  
(e) Day by Day in Wondrous Beauty ..... Anton Rubinstein  
(f) The Song of Ferrara ..... Frederic Bullard

(a) Song of the ..... Johannes Brahms  
(b) Hungarian Dance No. 5 ..... Johannes Brahms  
Mr. Sisson  
An English Hunting Song ..... Mark Andrews  
Messrs. Phillips, McGillem, Stiles and Goodrich

(a) Vale ..... Kennedy Russell  
(b) Shipmates of Mine ..... Willard Sanderson  
Mr. Mehalson  
Three Chanters

(a) Eight Bells ..... Marshall Bartholmew  
(b) Away to Rio ..... W. Rhye-Herbert  
(c) Old Man Noah ..... W. Rhye-Herbert  
(d) Kashmiri Song ..... W. Rhye-Herbert  
(e) To the Sun ..... Curran  
(f) I'll Take You Home Again, Kash- ..... W. Rhye-Herbert  
(g) This is the Moon of Roses ..... Harris Halliday  
(h) Handel

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# BOYS, 'WARE WRONG FLOWERS FOR "HER!" TROUBLE LURKS IN RED WHEN SHE WISHES PINK

Man of Experience Gets "Posted" First, Says Florist; One Seeks Daisies When They "Aint"

WHEN a La Crosse girl is the recipient of a handsome bouquet of expensive, imported pink roses and tender orchids, she is apt to compliment the giver on his good taste. Little suspecting that, if left to his own devices, he probably would have sent her a mixture of red carnations and yellow daisies.

More men at this season of the year express a longing for these flowers than for any others, according to Anton Linker, florist, who has had a wide experience helping the helpless male creature choose appropriate gift flowers.

"A man of experience will ask the girl what he is going to wear," said Mr. Linker, "and then choose the flowers to match, but most of them don't seem to think of that. I know sometimes bright pink roses are going to clash horribly with a henna dress, and the girl will either suffer all night or hurt her companion's feelings by refusing to wear his flowers."

It has happened that she looks like a bride, but half the time they don't know the color of her eyes and hair, and the color of her dress. The man, however, was certain, and positively refused everything with the faintest shade of red or pink, because the girl had very red hair and only weighed 55 pounds. I told him of the only colored 55-pound model in town, but her figure was not in red, but in blue, but he wouldn't hear of that.

A man ordered an yellow and white daisies and ran in the middle of winter, as he said the daisies were the only flowers that would help him out. He looked at the daisies and said: "A little bit of the red carnations, for instance, for the wedding, for instance, how quiet and so on," continued Mr. Linker.

A short time ago a young couple were requested for a wedding that was to take place here in La Crosse. To order that the flowers of the couple begetters would be made up with the same samples of the material of the bride's gown.

and those of the bridesmaids were brought in when the flowers were ordered so the colors of the corsage bouquets would not "clash" with the color of the gowns.

"I always want to suggest yellow flowers for the sickroom as they are so sunny, especially in the spring. For table decorations I believe they should be short enough so the guests could see each other over the top without straining their necks, and for the home they should be long and often droopy and graceful, and of course they should blend with the

color of the draperies and furnishings."

**OSHKOSH CHURCH REFUSES PASTOR'S EFFORT TO RESIGN**  
OSHKOSH, Wis.—Vestrymen of Trinity Episcopal church here, at a special meeting refused to accept the resignation of the Rev. Edwin M. Todd, and induced him to remain another year in the pastorate. The pastor recently secured a divorce from Mrs. Jeanne B. Todd. His health is believed to have been given as the reason for submitting his resignation.

**WAUSAU CITIZENS WANT RAILROAD YARDS MOVED**  
WAUSAU, Wis.—Plans are now being formulated by the Wausau common council to build a subway both for traffic and pedestrians under the Milwaukee road tracks on Elmwood and Kickbusch streets here. This

was brought about by an effort of citizens to have the city open streets over the tracks and remove the tool sheds, roundhouse, machine shops and switching yards to Wausau Junction. The city claims it is not the proper party to start proceedings to remove the property and says it is up to citizens to make the move. Citizens in that locality declare the yards a nuisance.

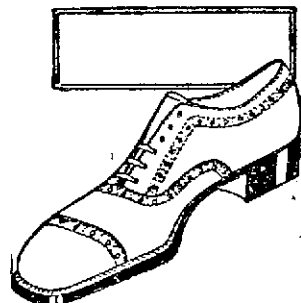
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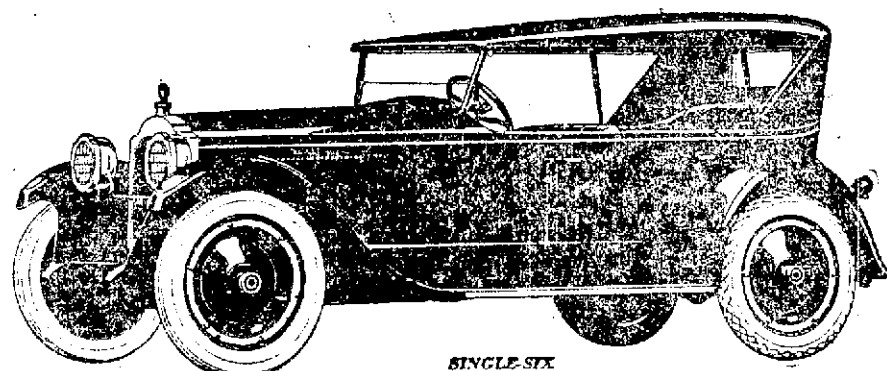
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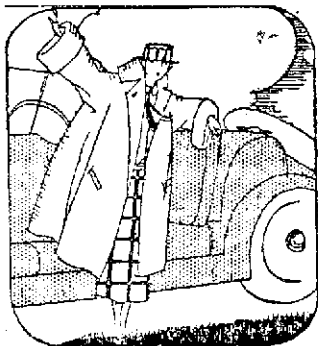
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New Velour and Bolivia Coats and Wraps in a wide assortment of styles and colors, at—

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Fighting for a place and now even a trifle in the lead are delightful rapes of Bolivia, Brytonia and new high pile fabrics, at—

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## Tut-Ankh-Amen In All His Glory

HAD NO SUCH TREASURE HOUSE AS THIS FROM WHICH TO CHOOSE

APPAREL FOR HIS FAMILY, OR FURNISHINGS FOR HIS HOME

Gold and silver and precious stones, he had in profusion, and wonderful artificers in every craft.

But if he could come into our store today, he and his wives would be more amazed by what they would see than were those Egyptologists that opened the great tomb at Luxor.

Here are more exquisite patterns and colorings in rich new silks of this one Spring season than were created during his entire reign.

Here is such apparel and millinery for Spring, of such artistic beauty, daintiness and variety as would have bewildered and astounded the court of the powerful Pharaoh.

Here are shoes and stockings, neckwear and veils of such fineness and perfection as he would not have believed possible from human handwork.

Here are domestics, linens, draperies, furniture, housewares and more than a multitude of other things that King Tut never thought of.

And all of these wonderful things—not made for a rich and powerful monarch and his court; but for every woman of this community, for whom the best is none too good and than whom there are no better or more worthy women on earth for the wearing of the finest and most beautiful things that the handicraft of man can produce.

Everything now at its fullest and best in this New Goods Sale.



## Special Prices for New Goods Sale In the Yard Fabric Section

Every day for the coming week and while this sale is on prices on new Spring Goods will be featured on special items. See the values the New Goods Sale offers for Monday. Shop early as these specials will sell quickly.



### SPECIAL No. 1

39 in. Plain Colored Imported Ratines, per yd. **89c**

The New Goods Sale makes this special price for Monday. Full and complete color assortment of all the staple shades as well as sport colors. All first quality standard goods and a wonderful bargain.

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32-inch GAZE MARVEL BRAND TISSUE GINGHAMS, per yard **59c**

A wide range of new Spring styles to choose from including checks broken checks and plaids, all new spring color combinations. The stylish wash material for summer dresses. Every yard fast color.

### SPECIAL No. 3

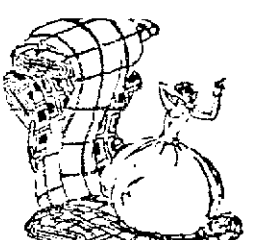
38-in. SILK AND WOOL SPIRAL CREPE, at per yard **\$2.98**

A new spring weave in silks for suits, capes and coats. Colors are navy blue, brown and black. A silk that is very stylish and recommended to wear. Our New Goods Sale special, well worth buying at this special price.

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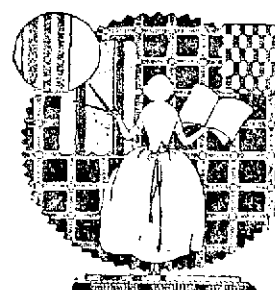
36 inch Printed Cotton Crepes, per yard **95c**

This is a value that will surpass your expectations. The price is made for Monday only, so shop early. Every design a new Spring style. Small neat printings, featuring checks and small foulard designs.



## GINGHAM WEEK, APRIL 9th to 14th

Note the prices for Gingham Week on the following well known brands of Gingham. Our advice is buy your Spring Ginghams now and save money.



27-inch APPLEWEB BRAND GINGHAMS, priced at per yard	<b>23c</b>
27-inch M. F. C. BRAND GINGHAMS, priced at per yard	<b>29c</b>
32-inch KALBOURNE BRAND GINGHAMS, priced at per yard	<b>29c</b>
32-inch TOILE DU NORD GINGHAMS, priced at per yard	<b>32c</b>
32-inch IMPERIAL BRAND CHAMBRAYS, priced at per yard	<b>35c</b>
32-inch JACQUELIN BRAND GINGHAMS, priced at per yard	<b>45c</b>
32-inch KIRKWELL BRAND SCOTCH GINGHAM, priced at per yard	<b>59c</b>

**SPECIAL NOTE:** Gingham Week is a nation-wide event. Gingham have established themselves as one of the largest selling Spring wash goods fabric. Gingham mills are all oversold for next Fall. Prices on all gingham are advancing. Buy your Spring Gingham now.



## At Last Spring Is Here

and we are all ready for it with a most wondrous array of Beautiful Millinery.

Hats to fit every type from the little miss to the stately matron.

The lovely poke and droop brims are newest although we are showing some attractive off the face models in the new Lavin green, wood browns and the pretty strawberry shades.

We are featuring our New Goods Sale two special prices. Hand-made Patterns at—

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These hats are known as Brown's Specials.

Step into our department before making your selection elsewhere.

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We feature L. R. Brown Hats—Made in St. Paul.  
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CHILDREN COME IN FOR THEIR SHARE OF THE NEW STOCKINGS TOO.

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**WOMEN'S SILK HOSE**  
Women's Silk Hose, all silk, part silk and silk and fibre, pair, up to **75c** to **\$4.50**



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MEN'S NAINSOOK UNION SUITS, good quality, priced at per garment	<b>59c to \$1.65</b>
MEN'S SUMMER WEIGHT RIBBED COTTON UNION SUITS, at	<b>89c to \$2.00</b>
WOMEN'S SUMMER WEIGHT UNION SUITS, all styles and sizes, priced up from	<b>50c</b>

## During Our Exposition of New Goods

Don't fail to pay a visit to our Linen Section where superior quality Linens reign supreme; where the newer things are arriving daily and the variety is selected with the utmost care and precision.

### COLORED ART LINENS

Colored Art Linens of 36-inch width, woven from long selected pure flax yarns, softly colored in natural, oyster, gold, shrimp, rose, blue and lavender. A most durable cloth for bridge sets, sewing cloth, table covers, etc., priced at per yard **98c**

### TURKISH TOWELS

Large size heavy quality Turkish Towels, double thread, pretty designs in blue, pink and gold, New Goods Sale, each **49c**

### COLORED DAMASK

Pure Linen Table Damask, regular width, extra heavy weight, neatly checked in blue. This is a sturdy cloth, priced for the New Goods Sale at a yard **\$2.79**

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A special is out No. 1119 Suite, a beautiful walnut or mahogany combination dresser, vanity, chifferobe and Bowfoot Bed for **\$195.00**

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One strap Patent Pump with military heel, rubber top lift, perforated vamp, at—  
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Multifid Coconut Oil Shampoo, 60c size at	<b>47c</b>
Pelico Tooth Paste, 50c tube	<b>43c</b>
Poruna, \$1.00 bottle for	<b>85c</b>

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Carved in open stock in two distinctive patterns.	
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Also carved in open stock in three patterns.	
BAVARIAN CHINA, 42-piece Dinner Set, special for this sale	<b>\$25.00</b>
Also carved in open stock in two patterns.	
ENGLISH YIPAN CHINA, 42-piece Dinner Set, special for this sale	<b>\$15.98</b>

Pyrex	
PIE PLATES, priced special for this sale	<b>\$1.00</b>
CASSEROLES, 8 1/2 inch	<b>\$1.50 and \$1.75</b>
TEA POTS, tall or squat—	
<b>\$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50</b>	

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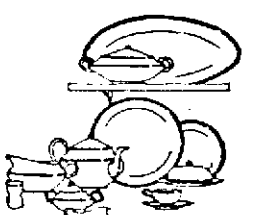
BIRD CAGES	
White enameled, six sizes, priced from	<b>\$1.69 to \$2.98</b>
Press, oblong and oval, four sizes, priced from	<b>\$3.98 to \$10</b>
Lacquered Steel, oblong, three sizes	<b>\$2.69 to \$4.50</b>
CLIMAX WALL PAPER CLEANER, this size makes per can	<b>10c</b>

## DUPLEX FIRELESS COOKERS

Aluminum lined, with aluminum utensils. The new style is round with a ball handle very handy to put in your oven, come **\$8.75**

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Three-piece Canister set with Dutch designs, sets are marked coffee, tea and sugar, per set **50c**



MEN! LOOK AT THE BIG NEWS ON THE SPORT PAGE



# BROWNSVILLE WAS LIVELY BURGH IN THE LATE FORTIES

First Residents of Houston  
County Settled in the  
River Town

BELIEVED A LIKELY PLACE  
FOR DEVELOPMENT OF CITY

Had Mills and Other Industries  
in the Early Days

Settled only four years later than  
this place, Brownsville in the late  
40's was a lively competitor of La  
Crosse in bidding for new industries  
and residents according to early  
records.

John and Charles Brown and James  
Hiner came to the present site of  
Brownsville in November, 1845,  
which antedates any other settlement  
in Houston county. John Brown had  
previously visited the locality, and  
proposed it as an eligible spot for a  
Mississippi town. James Hiner re-  
mained until 1857, when he went to  
California to reside. Mrs. Hiner was

a sister of the Browns, and arrived  
in May, 1849, with her little four  
year old daughter. Thus Mrs. Hiner  
was the first white woman to reside  
in Houston county, and Martha, her  
daughter, was the first white child.  
Mrs. Hiner was born in Ontario  
county, New York, in 1824, she died  
at Hoken at 12 o'clock, on the 17th  
day of May, 1871, and was buried  
near Caledonia. Mr. Hiner is also  
dead.

## Irish on Ridge

George Shroff, John Whitlow, Mr.  
Stone and Mr. Watson, located on  
the ridge north of the village, which  
has been known as Connaught ridge,  
because so many there were from  
that province in Ireland. Dennis  
Sheehan settled there and put up a  
claim shanty in 1853. Wm. Power  
came with his father in 1854, and  
took a claim on the same ridge.  
James Hickey appeared in April,  
1854, and planted his takes in sec-  
tion ten. Jonathan Hall took his  
claim on section four the same year,  
as did also John Shelley, who at first  
stopped a few miles above the vil-  
lage. Between this time and 1857, a one-half interest and the firm of

Thomas Gavin, John Flannery, Jo-  
seph Keefe and others dawning upon  
the scene.

## First Frame Building

Charles Brown built the first  
frame building in 1850, and this was  
afterward used as a school house.  
Mr. Brown also, with an enterprise  
most commendable, built the first  
public building, which was called the  
Tower Hall, and was used as a church  
and a school house. In this build-  
ing, in May, 1857, Miss M. J. Wells  
began a school. The trustees of this  
school were, A. McLaren, Charles  
Brown and J. H. Smith.

In the fall of 1855, Job and  
Charles Brown and Alexander Mc-  
Laren got a saw-mill in operation.  
Mr. McLaren sold out the next  
spring to the Browns. The follow-  
ing spring, 1857, Job sold his inter-  
est to Charles, and a year later, Tay-  
lor and Fox of Stillwater, took the  
property and Mr. Hirschheimer of La  
Crosse, operated the concern during  
the season of 1859. John Ireland  
as did also John Shelley, who at first  
stopped a few miles above the vil-  
lage. Between this time and 1857, a one-half interest and the firm of

Bell & Ireland kept it in motion un-  
til January 28th, 1869, when the  
boiler exploded and John Ireland was  
killed. Jesse Bell purchased the in-  
terest of Ireland's estate and the Bell  
Brothers procured a new boiler and  
resumed operations, manufacturing  
lumber, lath and shingles.

## First Grist Mill

The first grist mill was built by  
Job Brown in 1856, although in the  
saw-mill there was a run of stones  
for grinding corn, but when Brown

built the mill on Spring Branch  
creek, the stones were taken from  
the saw-mill. But this institution  
has long since passed away. In 1855  
there were only two houses where  
Main street now is, and Chris. Ger-  
hardt and Hans Miller built a road  
on the present line of the street by  
digging into the side of the bluff  
and removing stumps, etc.

Demosthenes, the foremost orator of  
history, was born in Athens about July  
in the year 355 B. C.

## WEATHER RECORD COMPILED

FARGO, N. D.—Robin E. Spencer,  
United States weather observer at  
Moorhead, Minn., has compiled a  
four-page pamphlet containing me-  
teological records for 1922, with  
much comparative data for the for-  
ty-two years of the Moorhead sta-  
tion's history, for distribution to the  
residents of this vicinity. It shows  
among other things that the temper-  
ature range here for the forty-two  
years is 155 degrees, ranging from

48 below in 1887 to 110 above in  
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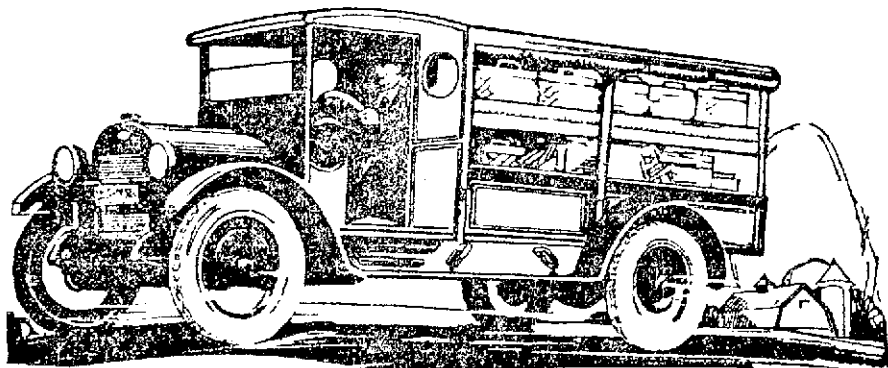
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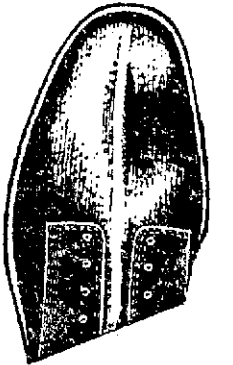
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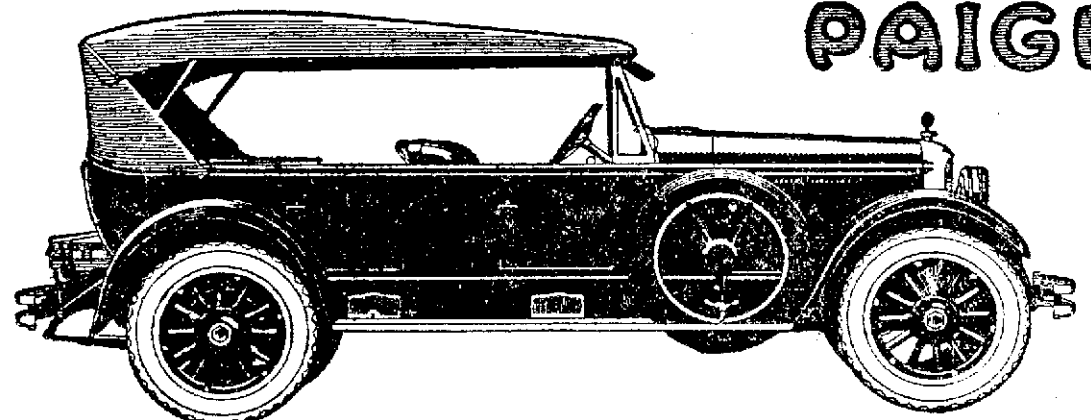


The Broadcast  
toe, one single  
piece of leather  
from square tip  
to top of tongue.

Walk-Over

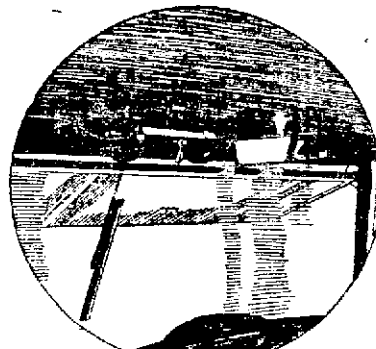
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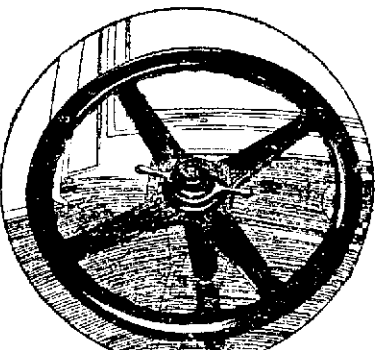


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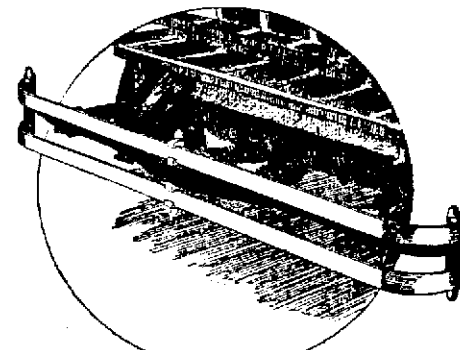
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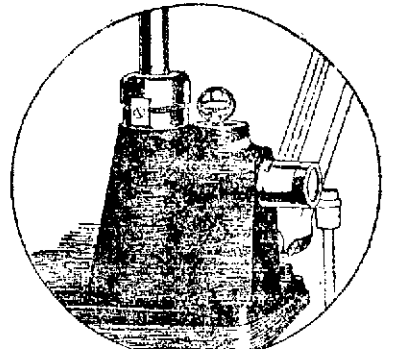
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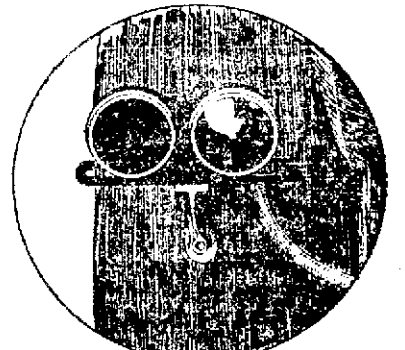
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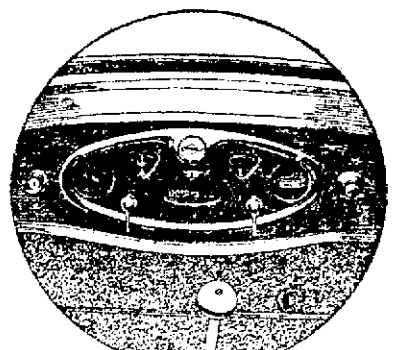
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# USE AIRPLANES IN CANADA FOR FIGHT ON FOREST FIRES

## Fire-fighters form Important Part of Air Service Reports Canadian Board

OTTAWA, Ont.—Canadian air pilots flew 294,446 miles, carried 1,152 passengers and handled 77,856 pounds of freight last year, according to a report prepared by the Canadian Air Board.

Pilots remained in the air 4,547 hours, the report shows. Saskatchewan aviators led the Dominion in passenger work, carrying 3,622 people. Manitoba pilots were next, carrying 1,022 passengers. British Columbia was third, taking care of 1,122 passengers.

"The trend in aviation," says the report, "is away from flying purely for pleasure. The tendency is toward commercial utilization of planes, evidenced by the great increase in the amount of freight handled by air-planes during the year."

"An interesting development" has been the growth of aerial photography. Lumber and pulp and paper companies especially have been active in this direction, many of them having their entire lands photographed from airplanes. In the mountainous region of British Columbia west of the vast agricultural stretches of the prairies, the Dominion Geodetic survey was greatly assisted by airplanes which were able to traverse the country and make photographs where it was impossible for the surveyor to go on foot.

Utilization of airplanes in combating forest fires in British Columbia and Quebec formed an important part of the Canadian air service, the report says. The Dominion has twenty seaplanes and five land machines protecting its vast forest resources. Timber stands valued at millions of dollars were saved during the year through the efficiency of the airplane patrol service in reporting outbreaks and rushing fire-fighters and equipment to the scene of conflagrations.

## CANNOT WRITE, BUT WIELDS A FAST KNITTING NEEDLE

LONDON.—The world's knitting champion is an Irish woman who cannot speak English or write a line—and she does not plan to make a leisure tour of the United States. She is just plain Mrs. McShane, of Carrick, County Down, Ireland, and until a few weeks ago had never been on a train.

Mrs. McShane, despite these few deficiencies, won the first prize of a gold-giving cup and 50 pounds in a knitting contest with hundreds of other women, recently held in one of London's largest department stores. She won the prize by completing a jumper in 28 hours and 25 minutes. The second prize was given to a young girl who completed the work in 31 hours.

# Reminiscences of Vernon County

By J. W. BIDWELL

The reminiscence lately published in the Tribune, given by C. Porter and mentioning parties I knew well interested me so much, I assume articles on the same line will interest others. Occurrences of long ago deeply interest the old and attract attention of the young. Eighty years ago the celebrity of vast pineries drew attention of lumbermen and besides offered chance for men who could wield an axe, and many there were at that time who could. Among such were five tall brothers named Rice who were living in Indiana; they with two sisters, migrated to Wisconsin in 1838, and built a log cabin at a place then called Grande Grille, by previous French pioneers. This place had been selected by Colonel Zachary Taylor who, with his command, had wintered in the spring of 1835. A wagon road from Fort Atkinson to Prairie du Chien, where he constructed Fort Crawford, Jeff Davis, a lieutenant in Taylor's command, offered a body of men sent to Black river pineries to saw lumber which was done with whip saws, that is two men for power and a saw, made the mill.

The abbatoire at Grande Grille was supplied with a butcher by employing Zeke Tainter, assisted now and then by the Rice brothers. (Explanation: This abbatoire and cattle guard was established to hold cattle and butcher them to supply meat for the garrison of 400 men at the fort.) On the east side of the river at Grande Grille two men, father and son, named Warner had built a water power saw mill and had entered some pine covered land on the Kankakee river. They employed a number of men to cut and bank logs on that stream to float down it in the spring to its mouth, a boom to hold them for cribbing into a raft to float over the Wisconsin to Warner's mills. Banking these logs required oxen. These needed hay for feed. The Rices went up in season to cut grass, in search for grass they travelled over a little prairie they called Round Prairie in what is now

Vernon county. Here three of them made claims, two of whom, Samuel and Hiram, entered their land in 1838, built cabins, moved there, raised families, lived and died there. Let it be clearly known, this is no claim that these men were Vernon county's earliest settlers, only early settlers. Taylor's garrison, all infantry and dragoons (cavalry) were ordered to Texas in March, 1846—went, engaged in battle at Resaca-de-la-Palma on May 8th, Palo Alto March 9. This left the northwest defenseless as against Indian danger.

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The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair, is grandmother's recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular, because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it, and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is that, besides, beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive.

In 1836 a colony had migrated from Mahoning and Columbiana counties, Ohio, to southeast Crawford county, Wisconsin. The Howes, Baileys, the Warners, McCullicks, Curtis, Bassets, and Athens, opening small farms to supply themselves. These were followed in 1844 by three families of Kidds, Gibbons, Bidwells, Metcalfs, etc., settling in Grant county, Wisconsin. Many of these were Methodists. One bright Sunday in June a meeting was appointed holding religious services at the house of Elihu Warner on the banks of the Wisconsin river. The Rev. Jason Lathrop presided. The Kidds and Bidwells and Winworths were the choir, a champion choir of Columbiana county, Ohio, taught by Edward Everett, son of Edward Everett, famous in Massachusetts. Zeke Tainter was at that meeting. Pop Blount and Lucie Elisha Warner were also there, two noted zealous apostles of Methodism, people from every point on foot, on horse back, by canoe or wagon for miles, to announce their experience, to pray or waft the sweet melodies of sacred song over the folds of an Indian cemetery of ages past. Alphonse Kidd and J. two little wayward rascals, waded over the shallow waters of a slough to an island viewing the river, beheld to our terror that river filled with canoes rowed by over four thousand Winnebago Indians who were on their way to Prairie du Chien to secure part of the payment

for land sold by them to the United States government and which settlers were obtaining for future homes.

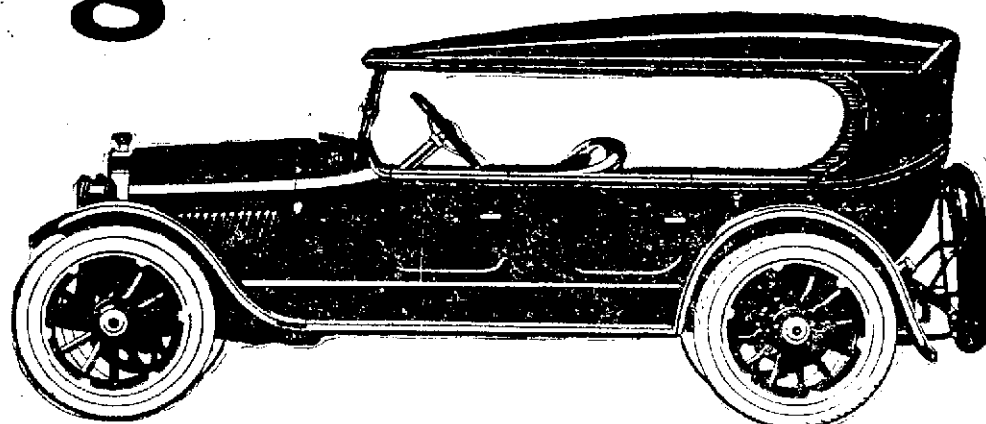
## AMERICAN UNIVERSITY UNION HONORS PRINCE OF WALES

LONDON.—The Prince of Wales, who for some time has had 15 sets of initials in the wake of his name, now has 16. His latest decoration was created and conferred at the recent dinner of the American University Union, at which he was the honor guest. The new initials are A. U. U., which, it was explained by Dr. George E. MacLennan, former chancellor of Nebraska university, stand for "One Of Us."

The prince, described at the banquet by Lady Astor as one of the best Americans she ever knew, told the former college men and women gathered about him that he hoped soon to see a British student resident in each of the 54 colleges in the United States holding membership in the American University Union in Europe.

## MUSIC COMPETITION OPENS

BIG TIMBER, Mont.—The second annual interscholastic music competition for the high schools of Montana opened here Thursday and continued through Friday and Saturday. A large number of competitors participated from all parts of Montana, both in vocal and instrumental music. Several awards were made.



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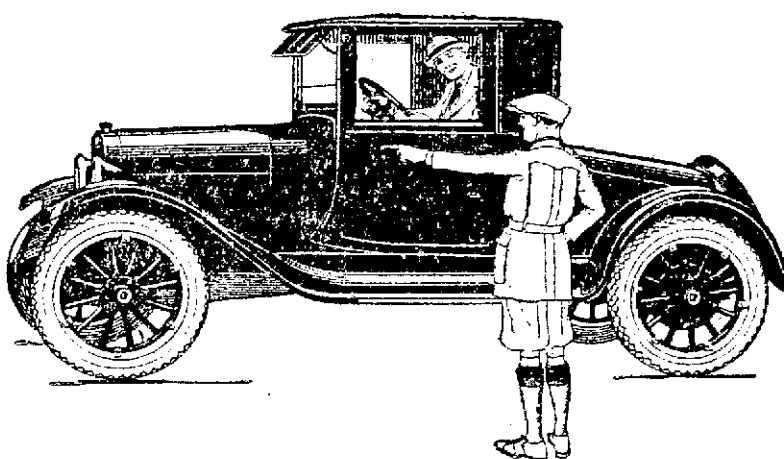
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NOW IS THE TIME for all good fly swatters and true to get in their telling blows.

The worst pest in La Crosse is due to appear. That insect, the house fly, which about this time of the year creeps slowly out of its winter quarters and makes a lazy debut, has the worst record of potentialities, according to Anthony Murphy, health commissioner.

If one swats and misses, by next August that little fly will have 137,000,000 descendants.

The fly is a notorious carrier of typhoid, according to Mr. Murphy. In fact, it has been one of the greatest factors in infant mortality. The extent of the other diseases has not been reckoned, but it is believed to be great.

In Crosse, however, Mr. Murphy said, is comparatively free from the spread of disease caused by flies. This is largely because the summer season is so short.

The fly, however, Mr. Murphy said, is a noted traveler and comes into the city on the farmers' wagons, and autos, and in cattle and fruit cars. And of all the pests that invade the city, it causes the greatest damage.

## SCOTTISH SHIPYARDS REPORT INCREASED DEMAND FOR SHIPS

LONDON.—Activity in the great shipyards of Scotland has increased since the first of the year, and local builders have received orders for several thousand tons more of shipping than for the same period of 1932.

Four of the largest companies are at present working on 150,000 tons of shipping. There has been a decrease in employment in the shipbuilding centers as a result of the increased building.

Three new liners are being completed. The Dominion of 16,500 tons for the White Star Line, the Queen of 15,000 tons for the Harland and Wolff line, and the Argo of 12,000 tons for the Pacific Steam Navigation company. These ships will be launched this summer. The Britannia of 25,000 tons for the Red Star line, and the Asturias of 12,000 tons for the Royal Mail Steam Packet company also are under construction.

## DANCING-THEATER PARTIES PART OF ENGLISH EDUCATION

LONDON.—The latest method of education in England is to take children to dancing parties, expeditions to other cities, and to a class of 25 boys from Tottenham and boys, staffed with a preparatory school, came on such a party to London.

Their trip included not only visits to all of the places of historical interest, but also to theaters and dances. The authorities of the school say the experience had the greatest broadening effect on the boys' minds.

## AUTO NEWS AND GOSSIP

A record breaking program of activities will be launched by the La Crosse Auto Club of Western Wisconsin at a dinner for automobilists at the Chamber of Commerce next Tuesday night at 6:30. Announcements of great interest to all who travel by auto will be made at this meeting. There will be a few entertaining talks, music and other features. The road club will this year see the consumption of its plan to establish eighteen tourist camps and picnic grounds throughout the country. When the club membership reaches 1,000, President C. L. V. Craft will launch a movement to build a Town and Country club. Other important activities are to be started and a busy and profitable season is assured the club.

### Don't Dim Lights

Wisconsin motorists on opening their 1933 license plate packets noted a slip of paper containing high lights on motor vehicle operation in this state. Those who read it received valuable information. One section of particular interest read "Do not dim your lights when approaching another car." This was news to many badge drivers. Many thought it merely a matter of common courtesy to dim lights when passing another car, judging from the number of cars who pass any night on any road few know or read this section of the headlight law. These few paragraphs are written with the view of acquainting motorists with the fact that there are but two small spots in Wisconsin where it is permissible to dim lights. They are Prospect, and Grand Ave. They fall under the exception reading "motor vehicles operating on highways illuminated to such intensity as to make a substantial object discernible at a distance of 200 feet ahead of the motor vehicle, shall operate with two dimmed headlights, or two other front lights provided the local authorities have erected signs on such highways directing the motorists to do so." Every time you dim your lights on any other road or street in the state you violate the law. So, when driving along some country road you see another fellow coming and dim your lights, don't swear your head off when he passes without acknowledging your "dim" salute. He knows the law and you don't.

### Not a Wise Plan

Asking repairs to estimate the expense of a job is the same as asking for trouble. The best of mechanics cannot tell beforehand just how long a job is going to take, even though they may have just completed one on the same order.

All repair jobs are different. A rusty bolt will sometimes take a minute half hour to undo. Putting on a new fender may be a matter of an hour's work in one instance; five hours in another. Using a small part may take a job for a week. If a spare part is not available, finding a substitute may double the repair bill.

Thus, chances for repair jobs on a few standard makes of cars have been worked out for the purpose of guiding their mechanics. Such published charges help to prevent profiteering in the repair trade and also

give a car owner an idea of whether he is getting fair treatment. If the repair charges are always in excess of what they ought to be he is justified in taking his repair work elsewhere, but a variation in a single instance is no cause for alarm.

If the mechanic takes longer than you think he should, give him the benefit of the doubt. He may have encountered difficulties peculiar to your car. He may have covered some small but important jobs along the way.

It is for this reason that car owners should not hold a repairer to an estimate. When a repairer feels that he can't exceed a certain figure he either loads that figure to cover possible contingencies or hurries over some of the details of the work along the way.

The car owner pays in the long run, even though he feels that he was deceived in forecasting the possibility of any "extras." The "extras" may be well worth paying for.

### Makes Doors Rattle

Every time a passenger leans his weight on one of the doors of the car it means that the hinges and door are strained a little farther out of normal position. This makes for rattles and poor-fitting doors. One way for the driver to prevent this is to do the Sir Walter Raleigh act more often. A helping hand to a passenger in entering or leaving the car pays dividends in more ways than one.

### Good Night Prudence

Your car is entitled to a bit of your time before you leave it for the night. Also a bit of your elbow grease. If more motorists would bear this in mind fewer cars would act like a mule in the morning.

It takes but a few moments to look over a few things about the car before leaving it. Get these moments saved hours—seven days—of delay later on, the not trick of the hustling driver is to leave the ignition or some of the lights on with a dead battery for the morning's greeting.

When you say "good night" to your car be sure that it isn't "good-bye."

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## CLIFF DWELLERS OF OLD BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN DWARFS

Skeleton Found Near Verde River  
Chief Homes of Unusually  
Small Proportions

PRESCOTT, ARIZ.—Scientists who will visit Prescott next summer to attempt to fathom the mystery of the ancient cliff dwellings on the Verde river will be asked to give their attention to a skeleton found recently by Morris and Howell Payne, ranchers living a few miles north of this city.

Although the skeleton is apparently no larger than that of a child of four or five years the skull contains a fully developed set of mature teeth. The Payne brothers unearthed the skeleton while excavating for a road in Granite Wells, a vast granite formation near Prescott. Digging carefully they were able to extricate practically all the bones without breaking them.

The skeleton has excited lively interest on account of the size and the maturity of the teeth and skull bones, which one physician said showed none of the evidence of immaturity of an infant's cranium.

Prints of the hands of the builders of the well preserved prehistoric dwelling known as Montezuma's castle are still seen in the mud-like mortar holding the stones together, and

these prints indicate that the dwellers were persons with very small hands.

The tiny doorways and low ceilings seem to bear out the theory that the people living there were of small stature, but the dwarf-like skeleton is so much smaller than that of the men of today that it has created another of those archaeological problems which it is the purpose of the National Geographic society to solve if possible in a series of expeditions next summer.

## NEW ENGLAND RICH IN OLD ENGLISH BIBLES

BOSTON, Mass.—Bibles that date back three hundred years are not uncommon in New England, where families have treasured the volumes for many generations. One of these bibles was printed in England in 1599 by "the deputies of Christopher Barker, printer to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty." It is owned by Clarence Cheney of Newwood, and has been in his family for generations.

Another bible, owned by Fred H. Harris of Norfolk Downs, and published in London by "Robert Barker, printer to the King's Most Excellent Majesty," in 1611, has been in the Harris family since 1870. Mrs. P. B. Lasker of Marblehead has a bible 292 years old, and Samuel J. Wilcox of Boston has a copy of the Scriptures printed in Cambridge, England, in 1638.

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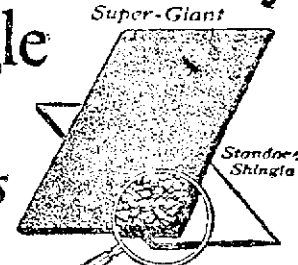
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built will govern the amount and  
kind of paint required.

Some people consider paint as a  
color and luxury instead of a wood  
preservative and a necessity. When  
the surface is unprotected, wood  
deteriorates. Delay in painting  
may mean new siding and unneces-  
sary repairs. When paint is off  
the cornice, it won't be long until  
a new cornice is required. Paint  
is much cheaper than new cornices.

#### Why Painting Pays

Painting is not only a first cost.  
It is an upkeep and overhead ex-  
pense after your home is complete.  
You can, therefore, profit by post-  
ing yourself, getting all the facts  
available about paints and paint-  
ing—what to expect from paint,  
when, where and how to use it.

Many a well built home of good  
architectural design loses 50 per-  
cent of its beauty because of poorly  
applied paint, both in color  
scheme and workmanship. It is  
just as easy and less expensive to  
apply paint for both service and  
beauty. Common sense will go a  
long way in helping you to achieve  
these ends.

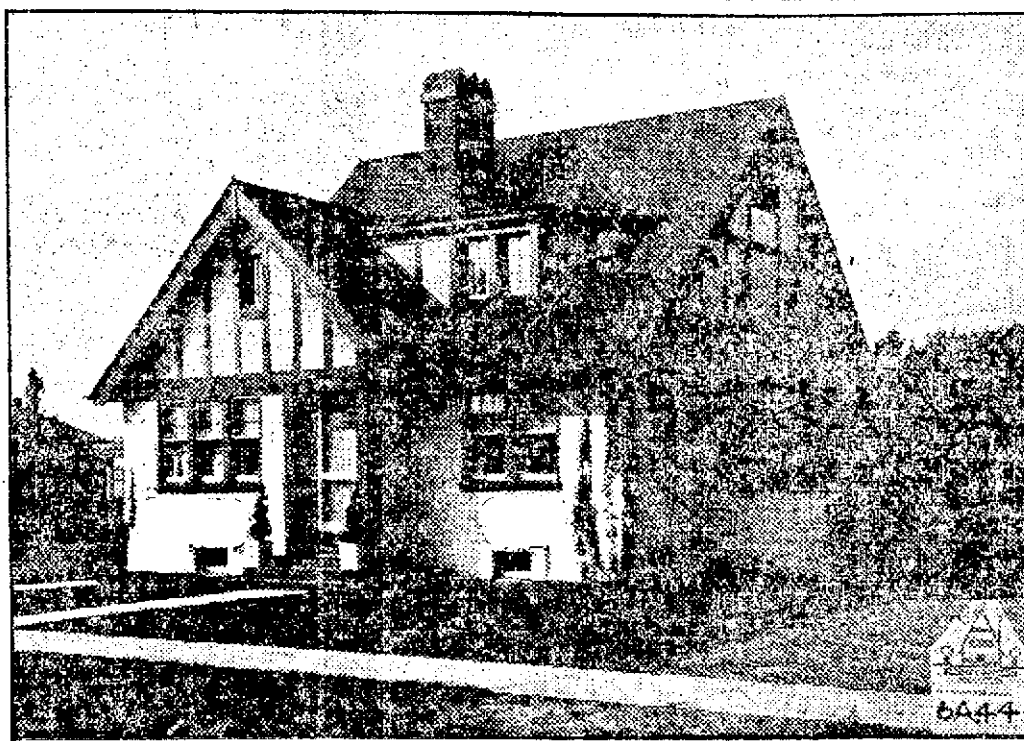
There are three good reasons  
why a well painted house—inside  
and out—represents good invest-  
ment and protects the dollars you  
spend for the erection of your  
dwelling. In the first place, qual-  
ity paint and careful workmanship  
protects and preserves your wood  
finish, trim, exterior, siding, shin-  
gles, etc.

Second, attractive, practical  
painting adds cash value to your  
home and lot. Not only will you  
profit in the pride and satisfaction  
that comes from owning a well  
built, attractively painted home,  
but, in addition, you will make a  
distinct contribution to the "looks"  
of your neighborhood. Anything  
that improves neighborhood appear-  
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home surroundings, increases real  
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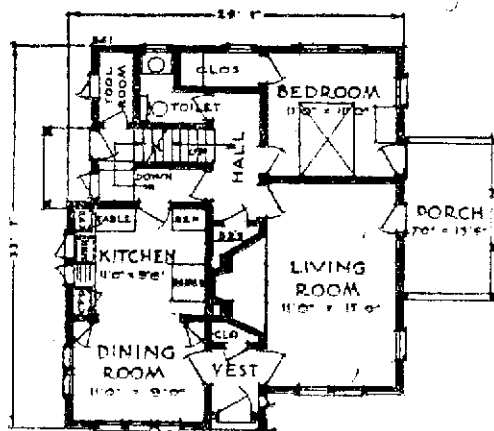
#### Painting Increases Value

Third, this point may not seem  
as important as the first two, but  
it is worth while thinking about in-  
asmuch as your home represents a  
business investment—a going con-  
cern, so to speak—with fixed cash  
and credit rating. Suppose at any  
time you want to raise money and  
offer your home as security. Peo-  
ple who loan money will tell you  
a well painted home, in good re-  
pair, is a better money risk. In  
some localities from 5 to 40 per cent  
more can be borrowed on this kind  
of home. If, however, homes are  
neglected in painting and repairs,  
values decrease tremendously. In  
many instances, irrespective of the  
value of the lot, your home de-  
creases as much as 30 per cent,  
whereas the expense for repairs  
and painting would not have cost  
more than 6 or 7 per cent.

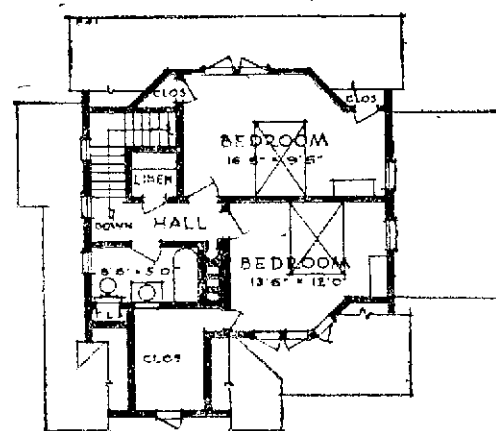
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the porch it can be placed on a 40 foot lot.

One feature of the plan is the large kitchen. The  
sunny front end is lighted by five windows and set  
apart for dining purposes. Built in corner cup-  
boards for china on either side of the arched door-  
way practically convert the front end of the kitchen  
into a dining room. When guests are present a  
screen can be easily drawn across the doorway  
for privacy. Combining kitchen and dining room  
means a decided money saving in building costs  
as well as saving in space and house work.

One chimney serves fireplace, range and furnace.

The fireplace is recessed and the brick hearth is  
slightly raised.

An appealing feature of the plan is the first floor  
bed room and adjoining toilet, and wash bowl. Be-  
cause the bed room opens directly onto the side  
porch this room can easily be converted into a small  
office or study.

Each room in the house has outside exposure  
and cross ventilation. There are seven closets.

The cost to erect this home complete according  
to the plans, including heating, lighting, plumbing,  
ready-to-live-in, will range between \$6,500 and \$7,  
500 depending upon location and equipment selected  
by the home builder. Simple equipment will lessen  
the cost. Expensive equipment will increase costs.

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Ques. What is the cause  
and prevention of frosted  
storm windows? We have good  
fitting storm doors and win-  
dows, but have never been able  
to have clear windows in the  
bathroom and bedrooms dur-  
ing any kind of cold weather.

Ans. Frosted windows come  
from the combination of cold glass  
and humid air. When the glass is  
cold, water vapor is condensed on  
it as dew on blades of grass. On  
account of the very low tempera-  
ture of the glass, this water is  
frozen, thus making the frost. A  
frosted sash may come from ill fit-  
ting windows or from insufficient  
heat in the rooms where the glass  
is so affected or from a condition  
of excessive humidity.

Ques. What can we do to  
avoid having cracked plaster-  
ing such as you see in so many  
houses?

Ans. There are three factors  
underlying correct installation of  
plastering, each one of which must  
be right. The first is the base,  
which is usually a lath of some  
sort. The second is the plastering  
itself. The third is the workman-  
ship. If any of these factors are  
not properly handled the plaster  
will not be sound. You must have  
correctly drawn specifications, and  
have them followed by intelligent  
and careful workmen using high  
grade materials. One of the best  
means of avoiding cracks in the  
corners of rooms and in the angles  
between walls and ceilings is to  
run a strip of metal lath along  
these places. We also recommend  
metal lath to be used on the un-  
derside of stairways where plaster  
is used. Be sure to have metal  
lath run across the joint wherever  
wood joists masonry and wherever  
wood lath joins any other form  
of plaster base.

Ques. What size chimney  
flue should be built to take care  
of a 7 inch furnace pipe, two  
4 inch gas pipes for the gas  
stove and the water heater, and  
6x6 inch ventilator in the  
kitchen?

Ans. The minimum size of the  
flue for the furnace should be 8x12  
inches. The flue should be lined  
with tile from bottom to top, and  
should not be broken into for the  
service of gas pipes or ventilators.  
The kitchen ventilator especially  
will act as a check on the draft and  
spoil the operation of your furnace.  
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gas pipe through the roof and build  
a separate flue for kitchen ventila-  
tion alongside the flue for the fur-  
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## THE GEORGE PERRYS OF SPARTA WEDDED 50 YEARS APRIL 6

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SPARTA, Wis. — Mr. and Mrs. George Perry celebrated their golden wedding anniversary, on Friday April 6, at their home on Pearl Street. Invitations were extended to about one hundred and fifty relatives and friends, and they kept open house all day. Some of the guests came at noon, others at five o'clock and others at seven o'clock in the evening. At eight o'clock in the evening they repeated their marriage vows, pledged to each other fifty years ago, their pastor Rev. E. E. North officiating. Mr. and Mrs. North sang a duet, and Miss Blanche Hammond gave a reading.

George Perry and Mary Woodruff were married Sunday evening April 6, 1873 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Woodruff, Norwalk, Wisconsin. The young couple at once established their home on a farm in the vicinity of Norwalk, after three years, moving to Wilton. In this place, they made their home for seventeen years, then moved to Kendall, Ill. City, Ridgeville, and back to Norwalk in time. In 1912 they moved to Sparta, where they have since made their home. Many friends have been attending congratulations and good wishes.

A surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. Perry at the home of the bride's parents, on April 6, the occasion being the first anniversary of their wedding. About thirty relatives and friends came to the party. A large number of good things were served, and the evening was a happy one. The party was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Woodruff, Norwalk, Wisconsin.

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Post Office, the Library and the Court House. The N. S. club meets next week with Mrs. Ed. Voss, on Wednesday, April 10, at six o'clock dinner. Monday evening at their home. The Wednesday Bridge club met with Mrs. Fred Chamberlain. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Allen met at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Woodruff, Norwalk, Wisconsin. The young couple at once established their home on a farm in the vicinity of Norwalk, after three years, moving to Wilton. In this place, they made their home for seventeen years, then moved to Kendall, Ill. City, Ridgeville, and back to Norwalk in time. In 1912 they moved to Sparta, where they have since made their home. Many friends have been attending congratulations and good wishes.

Miss Rena Stocks entertained the members of her Sunday school class at an Easter Party, Monday evening. Twelve guests were present.

Miss Gladys Hanes, Miss Lorraine Jones and Miss Florence Lawson were the judges at the declamatory and oratorical contest, held in the High school at West Salem, last Wednesday evening. Mrs. Esther Hanson, Miss Seaton and the Higher were the judges at a declamatory and oratorical contest held in the High school at Bangor on Thursday evening.

Mrs. W. G. Williams entertained at a one o'clock luncheon, Wednesday. Mrs. George Williams was guest of honor. Mrs. Fugh and Mrs. Frank Roberts of Bangor were also guests from out of town.

Rev. William Rynan, who has been holding revival meetings in the First Methodist church for the past three weeks, left Sparta Sunday evening for Chicago, where he will spend a few days, and will then proceed to his home in Wichita, Kansas. Rev. Rynan was a talented speaker, and his messages were well received. Great interest was shown in the meetings, despite the inclement weather, and many were taken into the church through his efforts.

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### ANOTHER GHOST HOUSE

WISRECH, Eng. — The eight-room home of Joseph Serimshaw, a fruit farmer near here, is under surveillance after he reported to authorities that furniture had been flung about the rooms and \$1,000 damage was done by unknown hands during the night. Serimshaw lives there with his 52-year-old mother and his 15-year-old daughter.

### FINED FOR "CUSSING"

TOTTENHAM, Eng. — One of the defendants in the magistrate's court here is back \$10 just because some of the words he uttered during the night. Serimshaw lives there with his 52-year-old mother and his 15-year-old daughter.

### BOARS MAKE RAID

LILLEMONDE, France. — Twenty wild boars swooped down on a farm owned by M. Dubourg, near here, and did considerable damage to crops before seven were shot and the rest routed.

### POISON NURSERY

LONDON. — Thirty babies in a pub-

lic nursery here are being guarded carefully for fear they will poison anyone approaching them. The babies are the offspring of a rattlesnake and the nursery is a cage in the zoo.

### CAT NEAR SUICIDE

BRAXTREDE, Eng. — Joseph Thompson's cat got so excited chasing a mouse over the kitchen stove that she inadvertently opened a gas tap. Thorburn smelled the gas and came into the kitchen in time to save the cat from asphyxiation.

### PRINCE NAVAL RECRUIT

LONDON. — Prince Nicolas, 19, second son of the King of Romania, has signed up as a midshipman in the British navy.

# The First Stalwart "Victory"

By W. V. Kidder.

THE "STALWARTS," by the trick of "infiltration," have, at last, elected a Mayor.

The Anti-La Follette Chamber of Commerce Politicians and the Anti-La Follette La Crosse Tribune have "punished Bentley" and are celebrating their first political "victory" in a dozen years. They "put it over," scantily it is true, by an unholy alliance and by concealing from a sufficient number of voters the work they were doing for Verchota under the cover of secrecy. Seventeen wards O. K'd Mayor Bentley and gave him a majority of 459. The remaining four "Silk Stocking" wards gave their candidate, Mr. Verchota, 1633 votes, wiping out the verdict of the seventeen wards and leaving Mr. Verchota 287 votes to spare.

The Anti-Labor-Union 4th, 14th, 6th and 16th wards won a hollow and temporary "victory" by electing a Labor Union Official, a former Socialist and a professed La Follette-Progressive. Surely this is "victory." It must be a "Bitter Pill," and it will be a mockery if Joe Verchota fails, now that he is elected, to do their bidding. And there are some among the students of the new science of Character Analysis who say, hopefully, that Joe Verchota's square jaw and facial contour is promising. Mr. Verchota won by the "slim margin" of 287 votes out of a total of 10,299 votes cast. A switch of 7 votes in each ward would have elected Bentley. There are still over 5,000 voters who approved Mr. Bentley's administration and who are waiting "to be shown."

All of the people, I imagine, will wish Mr. Verchota well in all the good things he may undertake. Many of the people, I take it, are hopeful.

Meantime the fight for Principle is NEVER LOST. It may suffer a temporary setback when enough voters can be "fooled," but Truth Crushed to Earth will Rise Again, as it has since the world began. The La Follette-Progressives in La Crosse may be sure that as far as I am concerned the fight against Anti-La Follette, Anti-Working-People domination of affairs in La Crosse HAS JUST BEGUN. And it will not end so long as seekers of Special Privilege are reaching for control of the Government.

In the absence, for the present, of an independent daily newspaper which would give the Public the benefit of an analysis of Tuesday's election, I assume this responsibility as a further public service, at the additional expense attendant upon such service.

### Bentley Won in 17 of 21 Wards

If anyone doubted, before the election, the existence of a "frame-up" between the enemies of La Follette-Progressivism, the Chamber of Commerce, the Tribune and Fred Hartwell to elect Mr. Verchota, the Tribune's own confession that the 4th, 14th, 6th and 16th wards "turned the trick," combined with an examination of the votes in this and in previous elections in La Crosse, should settle the question with finality.

On Tuesday these notoriously Anti-La Follette wards gave Mr. Verchota overwhelming majorities without which he would have been decisively defeated. In these four Anti-Progressive, "Chamber of Commerce" Wards ALONE he received 1,633 votes, nearly SIX TIMES his majority of 287, and nearly FOUR TIMES his total vote for Mayor in the ENTIRE CITY when he ran as a Socialist in 1911. Excluding these four wards, the other 17 wards gave Mayor Bentley a majority of 459. These four "Silk Stocking" Wards ALONE gave Mr. Verchota a majority of 747. In other words, in all other wards except these four strongholds of Anti-La Folletteism, in the railroad wards, the working men's wards, the small home-owners' wards, Mr. Bentley WON, despite eight years of vicious "poison peddling" against him. La Follette-Progressives, railroad men, business and professional men and working men and women, will do well to preserve these figures for future reference.

### Some Wards Always Defeated La Follette

In these same four wards Senator La Follette, himself, and all of his followers, have ALWAYS been defeated, including Governor Blaine, Congressman Beck, James Thompson and Reuben G. Knutson. Joe Verchota ONLY has won THERE!

In the campaign just closed Mayor Bentley carried all of the wards where the working people largely reside with the exception of three, one of these Mr. Verchota's home ward, and, lost the other two by very narrow margins. Therefore it is apparent that the La Follette-Progressives voted for Mr. Bentley and that he was defeated only by the votes of the Anti-La Follette voters of the "Silk Stocking" variety, combined with that very small portion of the Labor vote which it had been possible to deceive. Mayor Bentley, it should be remembered, while he is a Democrat, has rendered invaluable service to the Progressive Cause for eight years by frustrating the plots of La Follette's enemies in La Crosse.

Since the now notable four Stalwart Wards have gone against every La Follette-Progressive candidate in the past, WHY did they NOW go so overwhelmingly for Mr. Verchota? Does anyone suppose these "Stalwarts" vote for ANY candidate unless they have reason to believe he will be "for" their policies and plans? Does anyone imagine Mr. Verchota will be able to swing these same wards into line for La Follette and Blaine in future elections?

### "Stalwart" in 1920 Primaries

The full significance of the figures in Tuesday's election, viewed from the La Follette-Progressive standpoint, begins to appear under analysis and upon comparison with previous election figures.

In the September Primaries of 1920 Congressman J. D. Beck, La Follette-Progressive, was running against John J. Esch, co-author of the Esch-Cummings Law. Mr. Esch was being opposed by the working men and supported by the Stalwarts

locally and by the "Big Interests" nationally. John J. Blaine (La Follette-Progressive) was running for governor against Col. Seaman (Stalwart), and the late James Thompson, a La Crosse man and a La Follette-Progressive, was opposing Irving Lenroot (Anti-La Follette candidate) for the United States Senate. In that Primary of 1920 the four Anti-Progressive Wards mentioned cast the following vote:

Ward	Beck	Esch	Governor	U. S. Senator
4th	196	357	Blaine	Thompson
14th	185	489	152	263
6th	176	353	152	263
16th	121	322	114	218
			65	250
			167	251

### Verchota "Snowed Under" There by Fowler

Perhaps the most illuminating and direct comparison which can be made to show the voters how they were hood-winked in Tuesday's election, is the Primary vote for Member of the Assembly, in 1920, when Col. F. H. Fowler (Anti-La Follette), ran against Joe Verchota, who that year ran as a La Follette Progressive. The following vote shows, also, the vote between Mr. Verchota and Mr. Bentley in THIS election in the same wards:

Ward	Assembly, 1920	Member, 1920	Verchota	Bentley
4th	277	153	224	216
14th	516	153	481	253
6th	436	184	119	220
16th	321	101	115	167

### All Four Against Blaine and Knutson

In the regular election of 1920, Governor Blaine, as the La Follette-Progressive candidate, was opposed by Col. McCoy, a Stalwart-Democrat. Returns proved the Anti-La Follette, Anti-Labor-Union 4th, 14th, 6th and 16th wards—all supposedly "rock ribbed Republican"—in their bitterness against La Follette or any candidate representing him, went outside their party and ALL FOUR of the wards went to McCoy, the Stalwart-Democrat.

It was in this same election that Reuben G. Knutson, then organizer for the Trades Unionists and the strongest man they ever had on the job in La Crosse, ran as the La Follette-Progressive (Ind.) candidate against Senator Clark, the Anti-La Follette candidate, who later as a member of the Assembly attempted to block Knutson's appointment by Governor Blaine to the State Industrial Commission "because Knutson did not have a college education."

The records show that these same four Anti-Labor wards in this regular election of 1920 gave both McCoy (Stalwart Democrat) and Clark (Anti-La Follette), majorities as follows:

Ward	Governor	Assembly	Clark	Knutson
4th	397	240	245	155
14th	516	254	526	163
6th	424	227	422	123
16th	321	127	341	24

### Still "Stalwart" Last Fall

These deadly comparisons, which should interest every La Follette-Progressive to the extent that these figures be carefully preserved as a safeguard against future trickery, go right on through to the Primary Election of September 5th of last year. At that time Senator La Follette was running for the U. S. Senate against Canfield, choice of the notorious Anti-La Follette "Forty-Four" Convention in Milwaukee. Governor Blaine was opposed by "Bill" Morgan, another "Forty-Four" candidate. J. D. Beck (La Follette-Progressive) was running against Kingsford (Stalwart), and, locally, Col. F. H. Fowler (Stalwart) was seeking re-election to the Assembly and was opposed by Henry Neim as a La Follette-Progressive.

In that election, also, these four "Silk Stocking" Anti-La Follette Wards, which have NOW gone overwhelmingly for Mr. Verchota, ran true to form with a minor variation as follows:

Ward	Governor	U. S. Senator	Assembly	Clark	Knutson
4th	274	211	224	216	216
14th	516	211	481	253	253
6th	424	211	422	123	123
16th	321	211	341	24	24

### Mr. Verchota's Dilemma

And, now, as the Mayor-Elect, Mr. Verchota is confronted by an opportunity and a Dilemma—a real gauge of Caliber, and a real test of Character.

Will he adhere to the La Follette-Progressive Principles he has publicly professed? Or will he hear to the siren-voice of the Stalwart-Chamber-Tribune-Hartwell combination which put him into office?

Two distinct and incompatible principles in Political Philosophy and Human Relations are represented—are beckoning to Mr. Verchota. Like Oil and Water, THEY CANNOT MIX. He cannot serve two masters.

Already the Anti-La Follette Tribune is chortling a song of "Harmony" and "Co-Operation," which means running the City on THEIR Anti-Progressive principles.

Already a prominent member of the Chamber of Commerce Political Plot Bureau, a man described by Progressive leaders at Madison as "the most perniciously active trouble-maker of them all," a man who doesn't like to have his name mentioned in "this campaign," when pressed for an explanation of how the Labor-Fighting Chamber of Commerce could have supported a Labor Union Official for Mayor, asserts that if Verchota doesn't do what "WE" want him to, the Chamber can elect one of their own "kind" two years from now more easily than they could then "beat Bentley."

Yes, there IS a "Nigger in the Woodpile," Mr. Verchota. The Crowd is watching, now, from the side lines. You're up against a REAL PROBLEM! Luck to you. Here's hoping those Square Jaw Analysts are RIGHT.

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# MOVIES

## RIVIERA TODAY

Like the little boy who loved his porridge, the more you get of "One Week of Love" the more you'll want. Good things are so rare that it is advisable to take this Solzwick picture now playing in the Riviera Theatre, to your heart's content and give it a good hug.

Miss Elaine Hammerstein, a favorite hereabouts, is very much in the picture as a society girl who would rather ride in an airplane than listen to "Pauze" from an opera box. Dipping in the air is the most pleasant thing in the world, and of course, you lose control of your machine.

When that happens in "One Week of Love," you hold your breath and wonder what's going to happen next. Well, what does "Hoop" where Mr. Conway Teardrop comes in, the a light, had man, an adventure of the month. Miss Hammerstein's play happens to fall right through Mr. Teardrop's shirt. When she regains consciousness, it is to discover that Mr. Teardrop is gambling for possession of her with a couple of his bad cronies. That, my dear, is certainly the third of a life time.

## "THE NTH COMMANDMENT"

What is meant by "The Nth Commandment"? In the case of the picture of this title which opens at the Rivoli Theatre today, the three digits it seems to mean "Then there was the husband."

This picture should be interesting to all housewives. If it can be compared to "Humoresque," since the author, director, and scenario combined to create that success in production, and was similar in its appeal, "Cotton Mop," "Jane Morrison," and "Eddie Phillips" play leading roles.

The story tells of a young wife, whose husband is ill and who once hopes one evening, possibly to one evening at the Manhattan department store where she is employed, to claim money insurance for and for her husband, the story for his health. In the end, she attends a speed dating party given by a number of her friends.

At a safe a sum of money is thrust into the hand of the bewildered girl by a drunken admirer. In her haste to escape the need to return the money and return home to her husband, telling him that she received it from an old society. He knows that she has not been to the store working, for he has been there to take her home to be kept, this is a plausible excuse.

Charlotte Morrison and George Cooper are included in the cast. Fritz Leiber directed. "Humoresque" was the original story, and "The Nth Commandment" is the adaptation.

## "THE GLIMPSES OF THE MOON"

Alan Dwan, famed as the producer of "Robin Hood," has done remarkable work in "The Glimpses of the Moon," adapted from Edith Wharton's novel, which will be the feature at the Rivoli Theatre next Wednesday. With Rose Bonnell, Nita Naldi, Rayne de Rouen, David Powell, Maurice Costello and Charles Gerard in the cast and an exceedingly costly production, this picture is one of the most effective and elaborate screen society dramas thus far presented to the public. The picture is a production of the Glimpses of the Moon with the same touch hand that fashioned "Robin Hood" for Douglas Fairbanks.

More than three-quarters of a million dollars' worth of properties, including costly jewelry, expensive hangings, rare old paintings, and antique furnishings were used to give the picture the rich flavor called for in Mrs. Wharton's novel. To the sort of wealth and splendor, made for the picture at heavy expense, Director Dwan has woven a dramatic story of the love of Susy Branch and Nick Lansing and the troubles they encounter in trying to keep pace with their ambitious friends.

## PAULINE FREUDRICK STARS IN NEW DRAMA

"The Mistress of Shontone," the latest super picture starring Pauline Frederick, is as picturesque as it is dramatic. Adapted from the famous novel of the same name by Florence Barclay, the story, which is set in a remote island resort, was mounted in a most British manner. The picture opens at the Strand Theatre today.

Miss Frederick will prove an object of interest to fashion-loving women

(and the men, too, for that matter, for who says the sterner sex do not like to see the fair arrayed in wondrous garments?) for she wears a bewildering array of beautiful gowns and wraps.

## CASINO TODAY ONLY

"Youth Must Have Love," the latest William Fox picture starring Shirley Mason, gives this dainty star an opportunity to display her versatility, not only as an actress of exceptional ability but as an athlete and dancer of the first order. She also makes it clear that she has the right to compete for prize honors in any bathing costume contest.

In this production Miss Mason performs some diving and swimming feats. She also displays unusual ability as a classic dancer, not to mention her feats of horsemanship, which provide some unusual thrills in the production.

Wallace McDonald plays opposite the star in "Youth Must Have Love," which is a new type of drama for Miss Mason, the story dealing in mystery and intrigue, with a charming romance running through. The picture opens a day's engagement at the Casino Theatre today.

## BERNHARDT PRAISED LAURETTE TAYLOR

While "Peg O' My Heart" was playing in New York, with Laurette Taylor in the leading role, the divine Sarah Bernhardt arrived in the metropolis. After watching Miss Taylor act, Bernhardt wrote:

"One young artist in New York has no allowed herself to be blinded. She has worked hard and is still working, although she is already a very agreeable, comical, possessive humor, emotion, and a rare thing for her age—power. I speak of Laurette Taylor, who will become within five years the foremost actress of this country."

It is this same play "Peg O' My Heart," which Miss Taylor has just completed immortalizing on the screen for Metro, under the direction



Fritz Leiber to be seen at the La Crosse Theatre Saturday, April 14th, matinee and night, in "Remco and Juliet" (matinee), "Hamlet" at night.

of King Vidor. This brilliant actress has had a career of eminence in the theatre second to none. Off the stage

she has always been an interesting personality, whose deviations from the ordinary were marked from early

## LAURETTE TAYLOR MAKES SOME SIGNIFICANT REMARKS ABOUT RUTS

"Beware of the rut," cautions Laurette Taylor. "This may sound like shopworn advice, but rutts are such deceptive things. A person may imagine he's sitting on the world, as the colloquialism goes, and in reality he's moving in a groove which has nothing but futility ahead."

"For the rut usually awaits the self-satisfied, the individuals who have done good work, who have received praise, but who accept their success with too much complacency. It is not enough to be successful. One must keep growing. It is desirable, essential, to pursue a straight course, but one should pause occasionally, look around, deviate a bit, or that straight course will become a rut."

"I have played in 1,185 performances of 'Peg O' My Heart' on the stage. But I realized in time that while this play by J. Hartley Manners could go on indefinitely and keep the public favor, I must do other things or find myself in a rut. So I appeared in other plays by Mr. Manners, I played in 'Romeo and Juliet,' and studied other modes of expression, notably the photoplay. This year, under the direction of King Vidor, I have portrayed 'Peg' on the screen for the Metro company. It was a wonderfully refreshing experience. I can't remember when I had more fun."

"Some ancient philosopher—I think it was Socrates—said a person should learn something new every day. I wonder how many persons are receptive enough for this. The 'Peg O' My Heart' will be at the Casino Monday



Laurette Taylor, who has made her screen debut in "Peg O' My Heart," is seen here with Michael, the canine wonder, who has played with Miss Taylor in 1,185 stage performances of "Peg."

late William James, however, put it differently. He said people should do every day something they like and something they don't like.

"When Mark Twain heard Professor James's advice, he said he did two things every day which he didn't like. 'I go to bed and I get up,' he explained."

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